

TACOMA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

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BACKGROUND:

Evolving through many incarnations, the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce has had a tremendous impact on the growth and development of the city. Little has been written on the history of the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce (apparently the chamber never wrote a history). However, this collection contains a wealth of information on the early history of the chamber of commerce.

On the evening of January 22, 1884, a group of prominent Tacoma civic leaders and businessmen met at the Pierce County Courthouse to organize a chamber of commerce for the city. They appointed a committee to plan a permanent organization, a second meeting was convened on February 15, 1884, and articles of incorporation and a constitution of the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce Company were adopted. In this meeting a board of trustees was elected and a capital stock of \$20,000 was raised with a membership cap of 200. By March, there were 58 members. During its first year, the chamber considered many questions concerning the development of Tacoma. The members recognized that their chief aim was to enhance the trade and commerce of the city. The board authorized the purchase of two lots on the corner of Pacific Avenue and South 12th Street, but the lots remained vacant until the Spring of 1885. On May 12, 1885, the board of trustees appointed a building committee, and ground was broken in July and the building was completed in November of 1885. The first meeting of the chamber in their new building was held in January 1886.

Both the organization and Tacoma continued to grow and prosper. On May 8, 1892, another organization, the Tacoma Commercial Club was organized in the rooms of the chamber of commerce. The Club began with a large charter list and was considered a "get there" organization. It opened its headquarters on the fourth and fifth floors of the National Bank of Commerce Building at Thirteenth Street and Pacific Avenue, and the Club's first undertaking was to start a campaign to beautify Tacoma. The two organizations continued their separate efforts to promote Tacoma, but, by 1911, the two organizations decided to pool their resources and by 1916, they had merged into one organization: the Tacoma Commercial Club and Chamber of Commerce. By 1921, however, the chamber of commerce had dropped the term "commercial club" from its name. The chamber kept this name for more than half-a-century. The present name of the organization is the Pierce County-Tacoma Chamber of Commerce. From its inception to the present, the chamber of commerce's primary goal has been the promotion and growth of the "City of Destiny" and environs.

SCOPE & CONTENT:

The Tacoma Chamber of Commerce records are not complete. The majority are from the Chamber, with a handful from the Tacoma Commercial Club. They consist of correspondence (including letterpress books), dues ledgers, financial records, journals, mimeograph books, board minutes, reports, scrapbooks, and visitor registers.

Letterpress books, dating from 1888 to 1906 comprise the bulk of the outgoing correspondence and include a wide range of topics (due to the fragile nature of the books, no photocopying is permitted). The incoming correspondence also contains a wealth of information, including the creation of Camp Lewis, railroads, local and national events, and the growth and promotion of Tacoma (see incoming correspondence file list for a detailed list of subjects).

Also included are the minutes of the executive committee, 1891-1970 (lacking minutes from 1884-1890, 1895-1901, and 1912-1915). These records consist of correspondence, financial records, resolutions, reports of committees, membership lists, interaction with city officials and other chambers of commerce, convention proceedings, and reports. Numerous local and national corporations are listed in the minutes, along with discussions of the effects of national and international events, such as the two world wars and the Great Depression, on the development of Tacoma. The executive committee minutes cover a wide variety of subjects including, but not limited to, railroads, labor, electrical power, committee meetings, retail merchants, agriculture, traffic issues, publicity, procurement of Fort Lewis, taxation, and various national, local and international events (see the file lists for a detailed listing).

The mimeograph books, reports, and scrapbooks also possess a wealth of information. Containing correspondence, notices, minutes, membership lists, reports, committee lists, and memoranda, the mimeograph books also include the records of the various committees of the chamber of commerce (for detailed listing of subjects see the file lists).

INCLUSIVE DATES: 1888-1970.

RESTRICTIONS: None.

VOLUME: 17 linear feet.

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ACCESSION DATE: 1980/1986.

FILE LISTING:

BOX 1: CORRESPONDENCE (INCOMING).

1. **Correspondence (Incoming): A** 1892-1900. Advertising; Alaska; Alaska Packers Association; American Institute of Architects; Austro-Hungarian Consulate; C.P. Ferry; foreign trade; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.

2. **Correspondence (Incoming): A** 1901-02. Abilene Mill and Elevator Company; advertising; Alaska Chamber of Commerce; American-Hawaiian Steamship Company; American Lumber and Manufacturing Company; Australian-American Woolen Company; coal and iron industry; comparative strengths of various types of pine trees; lumber industry; membership; National Educational Association; Northern Pacific Railway Company; proposed steamship service between Seattle and Australia; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; woolen mills in Australia.
3. **Correspondence (Incoming): A** 1903-04. Advertising; Alaska Steamship Co.; American Institute of Architects; American Iron and Steel Association; American Mining Congress; Associated Charities of Tacoma; camping gear; crop statistics; dispute with the U.S. Postal Service over weight limits on mail to Germany; fireboat; foreign trade; lumber industry; membership; Puget Sound Navigation Company; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
4. **Correspondence (Incoming): A** 1904-05. Advertising; Alaska Steamship Co.; American Mining Congress; American Steel Company; Armory Troop B Cavalry; Austro-Hungarian Consulate; coal industry; fireboat; La Belle Gold Mining Company; membership; poll/head tax; Puget Sound Navigation Company; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; U.S. Immigration.
5. **Correspondence (Incoming): A** 1905-06. Advertising; Alaska; Alaska Pacific Steamship Company; Albers Brothers Milling Company; American Fish Company; automobile industry; cotton mills; fishing industry; lumber industry; membership; Requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; tanned leather and shoe manufacturing.
6. **Correspondence (Incoming): A** Undated. Advertising; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; United States Army.
7. **Correspondence (Incoming): A Allen, George B.** 1892. Nicaraguan Canal possibilities; Puyallup reservation; U.S. Navy involvement in Tacoma and Seattle's July 4th celebration (1892).
8. **Correspondence (Incoming): A Ankeny, Levi** (U.S. Senate) 1903-05. Coal tariff; Congressional delegation to the Portland Exposition of 1905; establishment of Army post near Tacoma at American Lake; Interstate Commerce Commission; shipping industry; shipping interests.
9. **Correspondence (Incoming): B** 1892-1900. Advertising; Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company; F.A. Bell and Company; British Vice-Consulate; coal industry; foreign trade; immigration; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; shipping industry; U.S.S. Baltimore.
10. **Correspondence (Incoming): B** 1901. Advertising; Boise Chamber of Commerce; the Bon Marche; British Vice-Consulate; Chinese tariffs on foreign imports; exports; International Mining Congress; lumber industry; Pan American Exposition; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
11. **Correspondence (Incoming): B** 1902. Advertising; Australian-American Woolen Company; Blalock Fruit Company; Cosmonics; Dr. W.P. Burke's Medical and Surgical Sanitarium Company, Inc.; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.

12. **Correspondence (Incoming): B** 1903. Advertising; Battle Creek Breakfast Food Company, Ltd.; cigars; coal industry; foreign trade; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Seattle and Canada Railway project.
13. **Correspondence (Incoming): B** 1904. Advertising; agriculture; Anglo-American Arbitration Movement; Argentina; Boston Steamship Company; dredging of the Puyallup River; electric light; emigration; extension of the navigation laws to the Philippine Islands; foreign trade; hemp; memberships; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
14. **Correspondence (Incoming): B** 1905. Advertising; foreign trade; improvements to the Puyallup River and the harbor of Tacoma; iron and steel industry; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Timber lands.
15. **Correspondence (Incoming): B** 1906. Advertising; automobiles; Barber and Company, Investment Securities, Bank Stocks and City Bonds; membership; Olympia Gardens Company; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Western Pennsylvania Exposition.
16. **Correspondence (Incoming): B** Undated. Membership; report on steam heating plant of the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce building; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
17. **Correspondence (Incoming): B Balfour, Guthrie and Company** 1892-1905.
18. **Correspondence (Incoming): B John P. Best and Company** 1892. Foreign trade of "raw materials" in Europe; use of Tacoma ports for company ships.
19. **Correspondence (Incoming): C** 1892-1899. Advertising; California Beet Sugar and Refining Company; Cappa's 7th Regiment Band; Chelan Board of Trade; Crescent Creamery Company; membership; mining in the Cle-Elum area; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
20. **Correspondence (Incoming): C** 1900. Advertising; Colton Export and Import Company; foreign trade; Japanese trade (includes a pamphlet which lists the type and quantity of Japanese goods for export); membership; National Maritime Congress; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
21. **Correspondence (Incoming): C** 1901. Advertising; Central American trade; China Mutual Steam Navigation Company; coal industry; Colfax (WA) Chamber of Commerce; Cuban-American relations; foreign trade; lumber industry; membership; minutes of the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce Executive Committee; petition for Army post near Tacoma; "Proposed Plan of Cuban Delegates for the Extension of Trade Between the United States and Cuba;" Puget Sound Tugboat Company; Railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Tacoma Tugboat Company.
22. **Correspondence (Incoming): C** 1902. Advertising; Cascade Cereal Company; Cosmonics; dry goods; establishment of a coinage mint in Tacoma; Louisiana Purchase Exposition; lumber industry; membership; National Irrigation Act; National Irrigation Congress and Convention of the American Forestry Association; railroad freight rates; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; vaudeville theater.
23. **Correspondence (Incoming): C** 1902-03. Advertising; Canadian Pacific Railway Company; Chinese-American Ginseng Company; Commercial Dock Company; detailed reports of the steamer Tyconda; foreign trade; lumber industry; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.

24. **Correspondence (Incoming): C** 1904. Advertising; Canadian Pacific Railway Company; canning industry; Chinese trade; foreign trade; list of names of principle business firms in Manchuria; membership; packing house facilities; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; U.S. Consular Service.
25. **Correspondence (Incoming): C** 1905. Advertising; Alaska; Chicago & North Western Railway Company; Civic Union of the City of Seattle; Cotton Shipments; Direct Primary Law bill; Ferry Museum; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; U.S. Customs Service.
26. **Correspondence (Incoming): C** 1905-06. Advertising; Alaska; automobile industry; Chicago, Peoria and Western Railway Co.; Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway Co.; coal industry; immigration; iron and steel industry; membership; Nome Improvement Co.; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; shipping industry.
27. **Correspondence (Incoming): C** Undated. Advertising; establishment of an Army post near American Lake; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; steamer/cargo list.
28. **Correspondence (Incoming): C California Fish Company** 1901-05. Discussion of the possibilities of steamers traveling from Tacoma to Alaska instead of Seattle.
29. **Correspondence (Incoming): C California Promotion Committee** 1903-05. Call for unity of action of Pacific Coast chambers of commerce in the promotion of the West.
30. **Correspondence (Incoming): C City of Tacoma** (Government-all Departments) 1892-1905. City electricity regulations, policies, and usage; Puyallup River bridge.
31. **Correspondence (Incoming): C Cushman, Francis W.** (U.S. Senate) 1899. Alaska convention in Juneau (addresses concerns of Alaskans).
32. **Correspondence (Incoming): C Cushman, Francis W.** (U.S.S.) 1900-01. Attempt to make Tacoma the home-port of the Revenue Cutter "Grant;" establishment of a mint in Tacoma; establishment of an army post at American Lake. illness of wife; parcels post bill; public building; Puget Sound Naval Station supplies being shipped to Tacoma; Puyallup Indian School; right-of-way through the Puyallup Indian Reservation for railroads; river and harbor bill; shipping traffic from Tacoma to Hawaii; Skagway, Alaska.
33. **Correspondence (Incoming): C Cushman, Francis W.** (U.S.S.) 1902. Appropriation of funds for Tacoma's harbor; attempt to secure a coinage mint facility for Tacoma; public building bill for Tacoma; quartermaster's depot at Tacoma.
34. **Correspondence (Incoming): C Cushman, Francis W.** (U.S.S.) 1903. attempts to remove restrictions on the right of Puyallup allottees to sell their allotted lands; establishment of military camp near Tacoma at American Lake; possibility of moving Customs House from Port Townsend to Seattle or Tacoma; Puyallup Indian school.
35. **Correspondence (Incoming): C Cushman, Francis W.** (U.S.S.) 1904. Bill to remove restrictions on use of Puyallup lands; dredging of Puyallup River; establishment of a coinage mint; feasibility of a military camp at American Lake referred to Captain John J. Pershing; improvements to Tacoma's harbors; meeting with Secretary of War E. Root on army camp matter; move of Customs House to Seattle; Pt. Defiance Park; Puyallup land titles.
36. **Correspondence (Incoming): C Cushman, Francis W.** (U.S.S.) 1905. Immigration; Mount Tacoma wagon road; Tacoma Harbor.

37. **Correspondence (Incoming): D** 1892-1901. Advertising; Canadian Development Company; Dawson, Yukon Territory; lumber industry; membership; mining industry; Nicaraguan Canal; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; tugboat.
38. **Correspondence (Incoming): D** 1901-03. Advertising; China Mutual Steam Navigation Company; Denver Chamber of Commerce; Dodwell and Company, Ltd.; European iron and steel; foreign trade; Lewis and Clark Exposition; membership; Nicaraguan Canal; public education in Tacoma; public improvements in Tacoma; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
39. **Correspondence (Incoming): D** 1904-05. Advertising; bill to fix the present limits of cities in Washington State; China Mutual Steam Navigation Co.; coal industry; Dayton (WA) Commercial Association; Denver Chamber of Commerce; lumber industry; membership; railroads; Requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Tacoma Armory.
40. **Correspondence (Incoming): D** 1905-06. Advertising; Alaska; automobiles; Doubleday-Page and Co.; Lewis and Clark Exposition; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
41. **Correspondence (Incoming): D Department of Commerce and Labor** 1903-05. Chinese immigration; inspection of wheat for European markets; lumber shipments; move of Customs House to Seattle; population estimates of Tacoma.
42. **Correspondence (Incoming): D Department of the Interior (U.S.)** 1900-06. Coal industry; construction of trails in the Olympic Forest Reserve; Puyallup Reservation Indian lands.
43. **Correspondence (Incoming): D Department of Justice (U.S.)** 1902-04. Lease of court facilities.
44. **Correspondence (Incoming): D Department of State (U.S.)** 1892. International trade with Mexico and South America.
45. **Correspondence (Incoming): D Dodwell and Company, Limited** 1900-03. Chemical industry; international trade with China, Japan, Hong Kong, and Singapore.
46. **Correspondence (Incoming): D Dunn, Robert L.** 1905. Contains pamphlet on the invasion of Korea during the Russian-Japanese War of 1904-05.
47. **Correspondence (Incoming): E** 1892-1900. Advertising; immigration; lumber industry; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
48. **Correspondence (Incoming): E** 1901. Advertising; aeronautics—balloons; description of the manufacturing process of glass; Eckert Fruit Co.; Excelsior Gas Machine and Carbide Manufacturing Co. (Spokane); furniture industry; membership; parachute jumping from balloons; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
49. **Correspondence (Incoming): E** 1902. Advertising; business colleges; lumber industry; membership; mining industry; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; transportation facilities.
50. **Correspondence (Incoming): E** 1903. Advertising; boat service from Tacoma to Bremerton; lumber industry; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; shipping industry.
51. **Correspondence (Incoming): E** 1904. Advertising; Excelsior Carbide and Gas Machine Co.; lumber industry; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; U.S. Patent Office—description of Herman Fesenfeld of Hoquiam's Knockdown Umbrella.

52. **Correspondence (Incoming): E** 1905. Advertising; Baseball Association of Tacoma; Export Shipping Company; interurban railways; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State;
53. **Correspondence (Incoming): E** 1906. Advertising; lumber industry; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
54. **Correspondence (Incoming): E** Undated. Advertising; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State;
55. **Correspondence (Incoming): E Eastern Iron Company/Big Indian Iron Company** 1904.
56. **Correspondence (Incoming): E Everett Chamber of Commerce** 1901-05.
57. **Correspondence (Incoming): F** 1892-1901. Advertising; British Consular Office in Tacoma; establish a freight line between Tacoma and Asia; Far West Lumber Co.; Fischer Machine Works; Ford Manufacturing Co.; foreign trade; lumber industry; membership; Puget Sound Naval Station; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
58. **Correspondence (Incoming): F** 1902-03. Advertising; cancellation on the construction of a bridge over South 21st Street; detailed description of Pierce County, Tacoma and the industries located there; Four Track News; hardware; membership; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
59. **Correspondence (Incoming): F** 1904. Advertising; Consulat General De France; Fazar and Company of Japan; foreign trade; French Drug Company; list of new mercantile establishments in Tacoma; lumber industry; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
60. **Correspondence (Incoming): F** 1905-06. Advertising; agriculture; Alaska; Fairbanks Chamber of Commerce; farm loans and supplies; Franklin County Chamber of Commerce; membership; mining; Prosser Land and Development Co.; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
61. **Correspondence (Incoming): F** Undated. Advertising; list of companies desiring to locate to Tacoma; membership; photography; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
62. **Correspondence (Incoming): F Ferry, C.P.** 1892 (May-Aug). Attempting to secure European trade.
63. **Correspondence (Incoming): F Ferry, C.P.** 1892 (Aug-Dec). Purchase of duplicate statuary pieces in Europe.
64. **Correspondence (Incoming): F Ferry, C.P.** 1902. Discussion on the layout of Tacoma.
65. **Correspondence (Incoming): F Ferry, C.P.** 1903.
66. **Correspondence (Incoming): F Ferry, C.P.** 1904. Portland Exposition.
67. **Correspondence (Incoming): F Ferry, C.P.** 1906.; Chicago to the Pacific Northwest railroad; fire hydrants; railroad terminals in Tacoma.
68. **Correspondence (Incoming): F Ferry Museum** 1901.
69. **Correspondence (Incoming): F Foster, A.G. (U.S. Senate)** 1899. Commercial relations with and development of Alaska; return of the 1st Washington Volunteers from the Philippines.
70. **Correspondence (Incoming): F Foster, A.G. (U.S.S.)** 1900 (Jan-Sep). Establishment of coinage mint; McNeil Penitentiary; Military Post bill; naval station; Oriental Trade Commission; Quartermaster depot; revenue stamp contract; shipment of supplies to Alaska; Spanish-American War souvenir cannon; survey of Tacoma harbor; survey to arrange temporary boundary between Alaska and British Columbia; Walla Walla Prison.

71. **Correspondence (Incoming): F Foster, A.G.** (U.S.S.) 1900 (Oct-Dec). Asian trade; Census; establishment of a coinage mint branch; harbor improvement; Nicaragua Canal bill; Quartermaster depot.
72. **Correspondence (Incoming): F Foster, A.G.** (U.S.S.) 1901 (Jan-Mar). Alaska land laws; establishment of a coinage mint branch in Tacoma; removal of restrictions on the use of Puyallup Indian lands; Skagway Chamber of Commerce; transportation of troops to and from the Philippine Islands.
73. **Correspondence (Incoming): F Foster, A.G.** (U.S.S.) 1901 (Apr-Dec). Establishment of an Army post near Tacoma; McNeil Island Prison; Philippines trade and supply of troops; Puyallup River bridge.
74. **Correspondence (Incoming): F Foster, A.G.** (U.S.S.) 1902 (Jan-Mar). Alaska railroads; establishment of Army post near Tacoma; establishment of light-houses and fog signal stations in Alaska; establishment of mint branch in Tacoma; Puyallup River bridge; use of troops to prevent trespassers from entering Mt. Rainier National Park.
75. **Correspondence (Incoming): F Foster, A.G.** (U.S.S.) 1902 (Apr-Dec). Establishment of Army post near Tacoma; establishment of a life saving station near Cape Flattery; harbor improvements; Philippines; U.S. Civil Service examinations.
76. **Correspondence (Incoming): F Foster, A.G.** (U.S.S.) 1903 (Jan-Feb). Army post near Tacoma; Customs House headquarters; enlargement of McNeil Island Prison; Mt. Rainier National Park; Puget Sound and Alaska Cable; Puyallup River bridge; Quartermasters depot.
77. **Correspondence (Incoming): F Foster, A.G.** (U.S.S.) 1903 (Mar-Dec). Army post at American Lake; lighthouses; McNeil Island Prison expansion; President Theodore Roosevelt's visit.
78. **Correspondence (Incoming): F Foster, A.G.** (U.S.S.) 1904. Mail service with Seattle; moving of customs headquarters to Seattle; public building for Tacoma.
79. **Correspondence (Incoming): F Foster, A.G.** (U.S.S.) 1905. Army post at American Lake; Mt. Rainier National Park improvement; Seattle mail service.
80. **Correspondence (Incoming): G** 1892-1902. Advertising; banking industry; brick manufacturing; Executive Committee, General Conference on the Improvement of the Channel at the Mouth of the Mississippi River; foreign trade; General U.S. Grant memorial; immigration; lumber industry; membership; mining; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; U.S. Consulate Service in China.
81. **Correspondence (Incoming): G** 1903-04. Advertising; agriculture; the Bon Marche; foreign trade; grain milling; Grand Comandery Knights Templar of Washington; lumber industry; membership; mining; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Tacoma Local Improvement Bonds.
82. **Correspondence (Incoming): G** 1904-06. Advertising; glass industry; Great Northern Steamship Co.; Great Western Stove Co.; lumber industry; membership; railroad freight rates; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; shoe and rubber industry; steamship service.
83. **Correspondence (Incoming): G** Undated. Fishing industry; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.

BOX 2: CORRESPONDENCE (INCOMING).

1. **Correspondence (Incoming): G Gowell—Kelly Advertising Company** 1903-04. Alaska; Washington & Tacoma at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition held in St. Louis, Missouri.
2. **Correspondence (Incoming): G J.W. Grace and Company** 1892. Antwerp shipping line.
3. **Correspondence (Incoming): G Great Eastern Newspaper League** 1900-01.
4. **Correspondence (Incoming): G Great Northern Railway Company.** 1892-1905. Extension of railroad lines to Tacoma; location of the Portland Cordage Co. on the Puget Sound; St. Louis Exposition.
5. **Correspondence (Incoming): G Griggs, Cooper and Company** 1900. Location of U.S. coinage mint in Tacoma.
6. **Correspondence (Incoming): H** 1892-1900. Advertising; agriculture; furniture industry; hardware industry; insurance; membership; post office dispute; Puyallup Fruit Growers Association; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
7. **Correspondence (Incoming): H** 1900-01. Advertising; detailed descriptions of exhibits at the Pan American Exposition; emigration; furniture industry; glass manufacturing; F.S. Harmon and Company; hotel industry; membership; mining; Philippines; Puget Sound Naval Station; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; wholesale house.
8. **Correspondence (Incoming): H** 1902. Advertising; agriculture; housing; Hydro Smelting and Refining Company, Inc.; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Tacoma Office of Inspector of Buildings and Licenses—poor condition of the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce Building's elevator.
9. **Correspondence (Incoming): H** 1903-04. Advertising; Alaska; call for reduction in city electrical rates; coal; freight car industry; Harbormaster of Tacoma—statistics; lumber industry; membership; railroad supplies; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; taxation.
10. **Correspondence (Incoming): H** 1904-05. Advertising; foreign trade; Hawaii; Henry Hewitt Jr.; immigration; insurance; Japan; membership; Olympic Forest Reserve; Portland cement; Portland Cordage Co.; railroad rates; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Tacoma Hotel.
11. **Correspondence (Incoming): H** 1906. Advertising; agriculture; Alaska; coal; dry goods; foreign trade; furniture industry; Hewitt Land Company; Conrad L. Hoska; insurance; membership; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Western Pennsylvania Exposition.
12. **Correspondence (Incoming): H** Undated. Advertising; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
13. **Correspondence (Incoming): H Headquarters, Department of the Columbia** 1901-05. Competition for an Army camp with Oregon and California; inspection tour of American Lake site; location of army post near Tacoma (American Lake); military exercises near American Lake; selection of American Lake as an encampment of the Regular and National Guard troops for the Columbia Department during 1903-04.
14. **Correspondence (Incoming): H Honolulu Chamber of Commerce** 1904-05. Improvements of Honolulu Harbor.

15. **Correspondence (Incoming): H Humphrey, W.E.** (U.S. House of Representatives) 1902-05. Interstate Commerce Commission; Honolulu Harbor improvements; Mt. Rainier National Park.
16. **Correspondence (Incoming): H Hunt Grocery Company** (Ketchikan, Alaska) 1905. Brisk business levels need help in the shipping of goods; terrible conditions of transportation facilities.
17. **Correspondence (Incoming): I** 1892-1903. Advertising; Alaska; International Badge and Novelty Co.; International Good Roads Congress; International Mining Congress; Internal Revenue Service; membership; National Education Association; National Good Roads Association; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; "Summary of Internal Trade Movements of the United States During January 1902."
18. **Correspondence (Incoming): I** 1903-06. 11th Street Bridge controversy; Advertising; effort to extend American trade in Asia; foreign trade; immigration; Inland Navigation and Excursion Co.; Internal Revenue Service; K. Ishidzumi; Japan; membership; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; steamship service from Tacoma to Australia and New Zealand.
19. **Correspondence (Incoming): I** Undated. National Irrigation Congress.
20. **Correspondence (Incoming): I Immigration Restriction League** 1902. Literacy test for immigrants.
21. **Correspondence (Incoming): I International Conference of the American States** 1901. Importance of trade with China.
22. **Correspondence (Incoming): I Inter-State Commerce Law Convention** 1902-06. Amendment of the Inter-State Commerce Act; tariff rates..
23. **Correspondence (Incoming): I Isthmian Canal Commission** 1904-05. Panama Railroad Company.
24. **Correspondence (Incoming): J** 1892-1901. Advertising; foreign trade; Jones Direct Process Steel Company (with diagram of furnace); membership; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Seattle's *Japanese Journal*; Washington College, Tacoma.
25. **Correspondence (Incoming): J** 1902. Advertising; attempt to establish a U.S. Mint branch in Tacoma; foreign trade; Jackson Starch Company; lumber industry; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
26. **Correspondence (Incoming): J** 1903. Advertising; Carsten Brothers Co.; city electric light rates; foreign trade; Japanese-American Construction and Mercantile Company; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; sugar refinery.
27. **Correspondence (Incoming): J** 1904. Advertising; Judson Dynamite and Powder Co.; membership; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
28. **Correspondence (Incoming): J** 1905-06. Advertising; division of the judicial district; immigration; membership; Puyallup River improvements; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; U.S. Customs.
29. **Correspondence (Incoming): J** Undated. Advertising; drugs and medicines; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
30. **Correspondence (Incoming): J Japanese Consulate** 1902. Fifth National Industrial Exposition of Japan in Osaka.

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31. **Correspondence (Incoming): J Jones, Wesley L.** (U.S. House of Rep.) 1899-1900.

- Hawaiian shipping bill; military telegraph for Alaska; return of U.S. troops from the Philippines via the Pacific Northwest.
32. **Correspondence (Incoming): J Jones, Wesley L.** (U.S.H.R.) 1901. Alaska; China trade; Parcel Post bill; Philippine Islands; Puyallup Indian School.
 33. **Correspondence (Incoming): J Jones, Wesley L.** (U.S.H.R.) 1902. Grays Harbor Canal; irrigation project.
 34. **Correspondence (Incoming): J Jones, Wesley L.** (U.S.H.R.) 1903. Puyallup Indian School.
 35. **Correspondence (Incoming): J Jones, Wesley L.** (U.S.H.R.) 1904. Coal tariff; dredging of the Puyallup River; establishment of an Army post at American Lake; Parcel Post bill; Philippine trade.
 36. **Correspondence (Incoming): J Jones, Wesley L.** (U.S.H.R.) 1905. Establishment of a port at Chena, Alaska. Mt. Rainier National Park.
 37. **Correspondence (Incoming): K** 1892-1900. Advertising; foreign trade; Japan; lumber industry; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 38. **Correspondence (Incoming): K** 1901. Advertising; Alaska; Ketchikan Chamber of Commerce; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 39. **Correspondence (Incoming): K** 1902. Advertising; Colville Indian Reservation; dry goods; foreign trade; lumber industry; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; "Timber and Stone" Act of 1902; visit of Japanese students from the Kwan-Sei Commercial College of Okayama to Tacoma.
 40. **Correspondence (Incoming): K** 1903. Advertising; foreign trade; Japan; lumber industry; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Shoko Joho ("The Japanese Correspondence").
 41. **Correspondence (Incoming): K** 1904. Advertising; agriculture; hops; Klaber Farms (Puyallup); membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 42. **Correspondence (Incoming): K** 1905. Advertising; flour mill; Green River Hot Springs; Kittitas Commercial Club; irrigation in the Yakima Valley; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Tacoma Armory.
 43. **Correspondence (Incoming): K** 1906. Advertising; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 44. **Correspondence (Incoming): K** Undated. Alaska; Ketchikan Chamber of Commerce; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 45. **Correspondence (Incoming): K Kobe Chamber of Commerce** 1903-05. Trade issues.
 46. **Correspondence (Incoming): L** 1892-1901. Advertising; Consul of Chile; dry goods; foreign trade; "free trade;" lumber industry; membership; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 47. **Correspondence (Incoming): L** 1902-03. Advertising; China; dry goods; furniture industry; Lewiston (Idaho) Commercial Club; lumber industry; membership; opening of the Columbia River to navigation; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; shipping industry; trade with Asia.

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48. **Correspondence (Incoming): L** 1904. Advertising; agriculture; foreign trade; Lake Mohonk Conference on International Arbitration; Los Angeles Chamber of

- Commerce; lumber industry; membership; railroad freight rates; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
49. **Correspondence (Incoming): L** 1905-06. Advertising; furniture industry; Lake Mohonk Conference on International Arbitration; Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition; Lewis and Clark Expedition; Lewiston Commercial Club; lumber industry; membership; Northern Pacific Railroad Co.; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Tacoma Hotel; trade with Asia; Western Pennsylvania Exposition.
 50. **Correspondence (Incoming): L** Undated. Advertising; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 51. **Correspondence (Incoming): L LaWall, Frank** 1904. Tacoma exhibit at the St. Louis World Fair (Louisiana Purchase Centennial).
 52. **Correspondence (Incoming): L Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition** 1901-05. Philippine Islands; Tacoma's exhibit; War Department exhibit.
 53. **Correspondence (Incoming): L Life Saving Service** 1902-04. Tenant (of Chamber of Commerce building) complaints; transfer of office to Portland.
 54. **Correspondence (Incoming): L Louisiana Purchase Exposition** 1902-05. Alaska; Tacoma exhibit; Washington State exhibit.
 55. **Correspondence (Incoming): Mc** 1892-1903. Advertising; Alaska; China; Klondike Gold Rush; lumber industry; membership; mining; Montezuma Mining Co.; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Special Commission on Norwegian School in Tacoma; United Norwegian Lutheran Church.
 56. **Correspondence (Incoming): Mc** 1904-06. Advertising; furniture industry; McNeill Bros., Inc.; membership; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; shoe industry; trade with Asia.
 57. **Correspondence (Incoming): Mc McBride, Henry** (WA Governor) 1901-02. 10th Annual National Irrigation Congress.
 58. **Correspondence (Incoming): M** 1892. Advertising; agriculture; hops; Ezra Meeker; membership; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 59. **Correspondence (Incoming): M** 1900. Advertising; lumber industry; membership; National Banking Act; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Tacoma Harbor.
 60. **Correspondence (Incoming): M** 1901. Advertising; foreign trade; furniture industry; membership; Merchants' Assn. of Seattle; plans for U.S. Marine Corps officer quarters in Sitka, Alaska; potential window glass manufacturing sites; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 61. **Correspondence (Incoming): M** 1902 (Jan-Jun). Advertising; Alaska; federal building; foreign trade; immigration; improvement of Tacoma Harbor; membership; Mexican Permanent Exchange Association; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 62. **Correspondence (Incoming): M** 1902 (Jun-Dec). Advertising; freight rates; labor unions; Manila Tobacco Company; Manufacturers' Association of the Northwest; membership; Philippines; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.

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63. **Correspondence (Incoming): M** 1903. Advertising; advisability of connecting Tacoma to Vashon Island by wireless telegraph; Alaska Packers Association; China; foreign trade; Interstate Mississippi River Improvement and Levee

- Association; Maritime Association of the Port of New York; membership; More and Honywill (Seattle) chart of stocks and investments; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; shipping industry; trade with Asia.
64. **Correspondence (Incoming): M** 1904. Advertising; Army maneuvers at American Lake; Lake Mohonk Conference on International Arbitration; Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition; lumber industry; membership; *Merchants' Exchange Rules Governing the Grain Trade*; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; tourism; Willapa Harbor.
 65. **Correspondence (Incoming): M** 1905 (Jan-May). Advertising; agriculture; flour mill; furniture industry; membership; mining; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Tacoma Hardware Assn.
 66. **Correspondence (Incoming): M** 1905 (Jun-Dec). Advertising; agriculture; advocacy of commercial treaties of reciprocity with European nations; Cuba; foreign trade; list of principle exports to Europe; membership; Merchants' Assn. of New York; mining; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; tariffs.
 67. **Correspondence (Incoming): M** 1906. Advertising; furniture industry; glass industry; Great Northern Railway Co.; lumber industry; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Weyerhaeuser Timber Company.
 68. **Correspondence (Incoming): M** Undated. Advertising; insurance; lumber industry; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 69. **Correspondence (Incoming): M Mead, Albert E.** 1905. Capitol Removal Question.
 70. **Correspondence (Incoming): M Merchants' National Bank** 1892. Location of club; press and printing; Tacoma Commercial Club.
 71. **Correspondence (Incoming): M Murray, F.H. (U.S. Senate)** 1899-1900. Alaska; expansion of Northwest trade; Quartermaster depot; Seattle Assay Office; U.S. Mint.
 72. **Correspondence (Incoming): N** 1892-1900. Advertising; Congressional resolution in relation to the reclamation and settlement of the great arid region of the United States; insurance; Lake Washington Canal; membership; Nelson and Company, Real Estate and Financial Agents; National Business League; Nicaraguan Canal; Nicaraguan Canal Construction Company; Northwestern Improvement Company; railroads; relations with Japan; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; shipping industry; Tacoma Harbor; U.S. Mint.
 73. **Correspondence (Incoming): N** 1901. Advertising; agriculture; China Mutual Steam Navigation Company, Ltd.; membership; National Education Association; National Congress on River and Harbor Appropriations; National Municipal League; railroads; ratification of a commercial treaty negotiated by the United States with France; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.

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74. **Correspondence (Incoming): N** 1902. Advertising; agriculture; Chamber of Commerce of the State of New York; coal; foreign trade; membership; Nanaimo Board of Trade; National Irrigation Assn.; National Reciprocity League; National Rivers and Harbors Congress; railroads; requests for general information on

- Tacoma and Washington State; United States Consular Service.
75. **Correspondence (Incoming): N** 1903-04. Advertising; agriculture; compulsory metric measurements bill; Congressional bill to create a "commission to consider and recommend legislation for the development of the American Merchant Marine;" insurance; membership; National Association of Manufacturers of the United States of America; National Board of Trade; National Businessmen's Association; National Electric Manufacturing Company; National Irrigation Congress; Netherlands Chamber of Commerce in America; Northwest Benefits Association; Northwestern Commercial Company; Pamphlet—"Six-Year One-Term for the President of the United States;" railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 76. **Correspondence (Incoming): N** 1905-06. Advertising; fair trade; foreign trade; insurance; membership; National American Woman Suffrage Assn.; National Irrigation Assn.; National Irrigation Congress; National Reciprocity Conference; Palouse irrigation project; patent medicines; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; steel plant; Western Pennsylvania Exposition.
 77. **Correspondence (Incoming): N** Undated. Advertising; foreign trade; insurance; National Municipal League; Port of Tacoma; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 78. **Correspondence (Incoming): N National Good Roads Assn.** 1904-05. Annual convention; Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition.
 79. **Correspondence (Incoming): N Native Sons of British Columbia** 1903. Canadian Pacific Railway; steamship "Princess Victoria."
 80. **Correspondence (Incoming): N Navy Department, U.S. War Department** 1892-1901. Branch Hydrographic office July 4th celebrations; Navy supplies.
 81. **Correspondence (Incoming): N Neubert and Company** (Kobe, Japan) 1903. Foreign trade.
 82. **Correspondence (Incoming): N Northern Pacific Railroad Co.** 1892. Shipping; Supreme Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows; Tacoma Commercial Club.
 83. **Correspondence (Incoming): N Northern Pacific Railway Co.** 1900-01. Canadian Pacific Railway; emigration; glass window plant; Hemlock bark; Kosmos Line.
 84. **Correspondence (Incoming): N Northern Pacific Railway Co.** 1902. Complaints against existing freight, passenger, and mail service between Eastern and Western Washington; emigration; possibility of train service from Tacoma to Bellingham; railway supplies; Timber.
 85. **Correspondence (Incoming): N Northern Pacific Railway Co.** 1904. Alaska; coal rates; readjustment of freight rates to give Tacoma an advantage over Seattle; Steamship "Tacoma."
 86. **Correspondence (Incoming): N Northern Pacific Railway Co.** 1905-06. Dredging of the Middle Waterway; iron and steel industries; Sacramento (CA) Valley Development Association.
 87. **Correspondence (Incoming): O** 1892-1900. Advertising; membership; National Maritime Congress; Puyallup Nursery and Floral Gardens; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.

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88. **Correspondence (Incoming): O** 1901. Advertising; membership; Olympia Chamber of Commerce; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
89. **Correspondence (Incoming): O** 1902. Advertising; membership; Olympic Mining Co.; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington

- State; Seattle Street Fair and Carnival.
90. **Correspondence (Incoming): O** 1903. Advertising; agriculture; leather; lumber industry; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; shipping industry.
 91. **Correspondence (Incoming): O** 1904. Advertising; lumber industry; membership; mining; Otis Elevator Company; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Seattle Harbor.
 92. **Correspondence (Incoming): O** 1905. Advertising; membership; Oregon Development League; Portland cement; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 93. **Correspondence (Incoming): O** 1906. Advertising; foreign trade; Japan; membership; Ojima and Son, Exporters and Importers; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 94. **Correspondence (Incoming): O** Undated. Requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 95. **Correspondence (Incoming): O** Oregon Pine Needle Fiber Company 1902. Pine needle fiber bedding.
 96. **Correspondence (Incoming): P** 1892-1899. Advertising; early proposal for establishing Mount Rainier National Park (1892) by Fred G. Plummer; C.P. Ferry; foreign mail; insurance; lumber industry; membership; Pasco Union Land Company; Philippines; Puget Sound and Alaska Steamship Company; Puget Sound Steamers; requests for information on Tacoma and Washington State; steamboat service; steamer service to Japan and China.
 97. **Correspondence (Incoming): P** 1900-01. Advertising; agriculture; gypsum quarry; insurance; membership; Pacific Commercial Museum (San Francisco, CA); Pan-American Exposition; Puyallup Valley Fair; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 98. **Correspondence (Incoming): P** 1902. Advertising; establishment of an Army Camp at American Lake; establishment of a U.S. Mint branch in Tacoma; mining; membership; Pacific Coast Gypsum Manufacturing Company; Pacific Starch Company; Portland Sanatorium; Puget Mill Company; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; shipping industry.
 99. **Correspondence (Incoming): P** 1902-03. Advertising; coal; climate; foreign trade; furniture industry; insurance; membership; Pacific Starch Co.; Puget Sound Flouring Mills Company; Puget Sound Navy Yard Board of Trade; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; shipping industry; steamboat service.
 100. **Correspondence (Incoming): P** 1904. Advertising; Congressional bill to divide Washington State into two judicial districts; immigration; insurance; irrigation; lumber industry; membership; Northern Pacific Wharf, Tacoma; Pacific Fuel Company; Puget Sound Exhibition Company; Puyallup and Sumner Fruit Growers' Assn.; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; steamer "T.C. Reed;" steamship routes; Tacoma Post Office—schedule of departures and arrivals of the mail on route 71094 (Seattle-Tacoma).

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101. **Correspondence (Incoming): P** 1905. Advertising; agriculture; coffee; dry goods; electricity; membership; Pacific Commercial Museum; Pacific Starch Company; proposition to establish mail service on the Interurban Electric line between Seattle and Tacoma; Puget Sound Electric Railway; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Tacoma Railway and Electric Company.

102. **Correspondence (Incoming): P** 1906. Advertising; agriculture; insurance; membership; Pacific Coast Syrup Company; Pacific Traction Company; Parisian Steam Dye Works; Pendleton Woolen Mills; Puget Sound Flouring Mills Company; Puget Sound Telephone Construction Company; Puyallup and Sumner Fruit Growers' Association; report on the preliminary meeting on reforming the Tacoma University Club; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Western Pennsylvania Exposition.
103. **Correspondence (Incoming): P** Undated. Advertising; membership; Western Pennsylvania Exposition.
104. **Correspondence (Incoming): P Pacific Coast Commercial Co.** 1906. Advertising; bananas.
105. **Correspondence (Incoming): P The Pacific Coast Co.** 1900-05. California steamship routes; coal duties; coal industry; passenger travel-Alaska steamship "Ramona."
106. **Correspondence (Incoming): P Pacific Coast Steamship Co.** 1892-1905. Steamer Spokane.
107. **Correspondence (Incoming): P Pacific Coast Jobbers and Manufacturers Assn.** 1900-04. Asian trade; Oriental Commission; trade with Alaska and Hawaii.
108. **Correspondence (Incoming): P Pacific Coast Lumber Manufacturers' Assn.** 1903-05. Northern Pacific Railway; Quarles-Cooper bill; railroad freight rates; saw mills; Timber industry.
109. **Correspondence (Incoming): P Pacific Marine Review** 1904-05. Advertising; San Francisco Merchant's Exchange; Tacoma wharves.
110. **Correspondence (Incoming): P Pacific National Bank** 1901-05.
111. **Correspondence (Incoming): P Pan-American Exposition** 1901. Forestry exhibit; mineral exhibit; Tacoma exhibit.
112. **Correspondence (Incoming): P Patrick, George H.** 1902-05. Advertising; Army transports and transportation; assay office; Canal Purchasing Agency; Congressional representation; establishment of an Army camp at American Lake; Pacific transport businesses; Panama Canal; quarters for returning troops from the Philippines; Spokane; treated piling for Panama Canal; U.S. Mint; warship building; wireless telegraph.
113. **Correspondence (Incoming): P The Philadelphia Commercial Museum** 1900-04. Advertising; Tacoma Commercial Club.
114. **Correspondence (Incoming): P Calvin Philips and Company** 1902-06.

BOX 3: INCOMING AND OUTGOING CORRESPONDENCE.

1. **Correspondence (Incoming): P Pierce County, WA, Governmental Agencies** 1892-1905. Auditor's Office; County Commissioners; Puyallup River and Indian Reservation; Tacoma Harbor improvements; Treasurer's Office.

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2. **Correspondence (Incoming): P Portland Board of Trade** 1902-05. Chinese Exclusion Act; street car rates; street railway companies.
3. **Correspondence (Incoming): P Portland Chamber of Commerce** 1892-1905. Drawback Law amendment; Lewis & Clark Centennial Exposition; trade and diplomatic relations with China.
4. **Correspondence (Incoming): P Portland Commercial Club** 1904-05.

5. **Correspondence (Incoming): P Portland Cordage Company** 1892-1903. Northern Pacific Railway; railroads; relocation of firm in Seattle rather than Tacoma; shipping.
6. **Correspondence (Incoming): P Port Townsend Chamber of Commerce** 1900-05. Chinese Detention House; Chinese immigration; relocation of branch Hydrographic office to Seattle.
7. **Correspondence (Incoming): P Puget Sound Naval Station, Bremerton, WA** 1900-02. Fire protection; Naval supplies.
8. **Correspondence (Incoming): P Puget Sound Tug Boat Company** 1892.
9. **Correspondence (Incoming): P Puyallup Board of Trade** 1905. Hops and berries; Lewis & Clark Centennial Exposition.
10. **Correspondence (Incoming): Q** 1900-1906. Illness of Senator Quay; immigration; paper mill; Quaker Oats Company; request for general information on Tacoma and Washington.
11. **Correspondence (Incoming): Q Quartermasters' Office, U.S. Army** 1902-04. Maneuvers at American Lake; repairs to the U.S.A.T. Warren; shooting club; request for sawdust and shavings..
12. **Correspondence (Incoming): R** 1891-1901. Advertising; Alaskan tours; Chilean Consul; furniture industry; Puyallup Indian land dispute; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Russian Consulate; Tacoma Commercial Club.
13. **Correspondence (Incoming): R** 1901-02. Advertising; fishing industry; lumber industry; membership; monument for Governor John R. Rogers in Puyallup; Pan-American Exposition (Buffalo, NY); Red Cross Society of Tacoma; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company; Russian Consulate; Tacoma Chamber of Commerce building; tourism.
14. **Correspondence (Incoming): R** 1903-06. Advertising; membership; pulp mill; Railroad Commission of Washington; railroad industry; Regent Shoe and Manufacturing Company; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Rice and Lockwood Lumber Company; shipping industry; Tacoma harbors.
15. **Correspondence (Incoming): R** Undated. Advertising; Louisiana Purchase Exposition; membership; railroad industry; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
16. **Correspondence (Incoming): R Rogers, John (Governor, WA)** 1901. Preparations for President McKinley's visit to Tacoma.
17. **Correspondence (Incoming): S** 1892. Advertising; membership; Nicaraguan Maritime Canal; railroad industry; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; San Diego Chamber of Commerce; Seawell Electric Air Brake Company.
18. **Correspondence (Incoming): S** 1900. Advertising; Alaska; lumber industry; membership; real estate; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.

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19. **Correspondence (Incoming): S** 1901. Advertising; membership; request for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Simmons Hardware Co.; Spokane Drug Company; Spokane Taxpayers' League; Stockton Chamber of Commerce (CA); survey of Puget Sound.
20. **Correspondence (Incoming): S** 1902. Advertising; employment; membership; pulp mills; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Seattle-Tacoma Interurban Railway; Spokane Ornamental Iron and Wire Works;

- Sumner Iron Works; Wide Hollow and Cowyechee Irrigation Canal.
21. **Correspondence (Incoming): S** 1903. Advertising, C.P. Ferry, floral industry; lumber industry; membership; railroads; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Seattle and Lake Washington Waterway Company; Smithsonian Institution; Tacoma Manufacturers Association.
 22. **Correspondence (Incoming): S** 1904-06. Advertising; foreign trade; lumber industry; membership; Philippines; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Sauders, Ward and Company, Ship and Freight Brokers; Spokane Machinery and Supply Company; Standard Oil Company.
 23. **Correspondence (Incoming): S** Undated. Membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 24. **Correspondence (Incoming): S St. Paul and Tacoma Lumber Company** 1892-1906. 1899 output figures; Armory Commission; attempt to establish an Army camp near American Lake; Camp Murray; Hemlock logs; location of mill; pulp mill; Tacoma Commercial Club; Tacoma Mill Co.; Tacoma Mill Co.; timber industry.
 25. **Correspondence (Incoming): S Salt Lake Valley Canning Company** 1901-02. Possibility of establishing a new cannery in Tacoma.
 26. **Correspondence (Incoming): S San Francisco Chamber of Commerce** 1892-1902. Exports of wheat and flour; Nicaraguan canal; Tacoma Commercial Club.
 27. **Correspondence (Incoming): S Seattle Chamber of Commerce** 1892-1902. Alaska; Good Roads Convention; Oriental Trade Commission; St. Louis World's Fair; Tacoma Commercial Club; transport service.
 28. **Correspondence (Incoming): S Seattle, Everett and Tacoma Navigation Co.** 1901. Need of a steamer for the Tacoma-Port Orchard run.
 29. **Correspondence (Incoming): S Skagway (Alaska) Chamber of Commerce** 1900-02. Alaska; imports; Taxation.
 30. **Correspondence (Incoming): S Snoqualmie Falls Power Co.** 1901-02. Visit of Chicago Chamber of Commerce.
 31. **Correspondence (Incoming): S Southern Pacific Co.** 1905-06. Fare rates; Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition.
 32. **Correspondence (Incoming): S Spokane Chamber of Commerce** 1892-1905. Development of the Columbia River Valley; I.C.C.; Lewis & Clark Centennial; Louisiana Purchase Centennial Exposition; Oriental Trade Commission.
 33. **Correspondence (Incoming): T** 1892-1899. Advertising; cargo shipments from the Tacoma Mill Co.; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Tacoma and Steilacoom Railway Company; Tacoma Athletic Club; Tacoma Bureau of Transportation.
 34. **Correspondence (Incoming): T** 1900-02. Advertising; Alaska; boat service between Tacoma and Bremerton; establishment of an assay office in Portland; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; shipping industry; Tacoma Maritime Exchange; Tacoma Shoe Company.

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35. **Correspondence (Incoming): T** 1903-06. Advertising; China; foreign trade; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Tacoma Carriage and Baggage Company; Tacoma Eastern Railroad Company; Tacoma Engraving Company; Tacoma Grain Company; Tacoma Lumber Company; Tacoma public school statistics; Tidewater Lumber Company; trade with Polynesia; Western Pennsylvania Exposition.
36. **Correspondence (Incoming): T** Undated. Advertising; foreign trade; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.

37. **Correspondence (Incoming): T Tacoma Daily News** 1903-06. Advertising; circulation.
38. **Correspondence (Incoming): T Tacoma Gas and Electric Light Co.** 1902-05. Alaska; lumber industry; Pacific Car Company.
39. **Correspondence (Incoming): T Tacoma Grocery Co.** 1892. Railroads; Tacoma Commercial Club.
40. **Correspondence (Incoming): T Tacoma Land and Improvement Co.** 1899-1904. Flour mill; glass factory; government aid for Tacoma waterway; S.S. Princess Victoria; tourism; U.S. Mint.
41. **Correspondence (Incoming): T The Tacoma Ledger** 1892-1906. Advertising; Tacoma Commercial Club.
42. **Correspondence (Incoming): T Tacoma Mill Co.** 1892-1905. Foreign trade; lumber sales to Australia; Puget Sound Naval Station; Tacoma Commercial Club; telephone directory.
43. **Correspondence (Incoming): T Tacoma Mining Exchange** 1892. Description of the method of determining longitude and latitude on a ship; Nicaraguan canal; Tacoma Commercial Club; "Time Balls;" U.S. Navy.
44. **Correspondence (Incoming): T Tacoma Retail Grocers' Protective Assn., Inc.** 1902-06. Advertising, Alaska; cracker and biscuit factory; dredging of city waterway; free dock and city wharf; parking districts.
45. **Correspondence (Incoming): T Tacoma Smelting Co.** 1892-1906. Alaska Treadwell Gold Mining Co.; copper ore; imports of lead and copper ores from Australia; Tacoma Commercial Club.
46. **Correspondence (Incoming): T Tacoma Trading and Transportation Co.** 1901-02.
47. **Correspondence (Incoming): T Henry F. Taylor Company** 1900-05. Advertising, ads and circulation.
48. **Correspondence (Incoming): T The Tourist Association of Victoria, B.C.** 1902-03. Steamer S. S. Princess Victoria; Tourism; U.S. Customs Service.
49. **Correspondence (Incoming): T Treasury Department (U.S.)** 1900-03. Financial; immigration; public building; shipments of wheat; Tacoma Commercial Club; U.S. internal trade; U.S. Mint.
50. **Correspondence (Incoming): T Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress** 1901-03.
51. **Correspondence (Incoming): T Turner, George** (U.S. Senate) 1900-02. Establishment of Army camp near American Lake; U.S. Mint; Oriental Trade Commission.
52. **Correspondence (Incoming): U** 1892-1905. Advertising; membership; procurement of land for Puyallup Indian School; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; shipment of U.S. Army troops and horses; U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survey; U.S. Indian Service; U.S. Quartermaster's Agent.
53. **Correspondence (Incoming): U** Undated. Foreign trade; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; U.S. Export Association.
54. **Correspondence (Incoming): U U.S. Customs Service** 1892-1906. Mexican trade statistics; imports of cement; requests for reports; imports and exports of steel and iron.

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55. **Correspondence (Incoming): U U.S. Department of Agriculture** 1892-1902. Forest industry; public roads; weather.
56. **Correspondence (Incoming): U U.S. Department of Agriculture** 1902-04. Annual reports, forest industry, weather.
57. **Correspondence (Incoming): U U.S. Engineers' Office** 1901-05. Army troop maneuvers at American Lake; harbor improvement; Olympia dredging; right of way on the Hylebos waterway; River and Harbor bill; survey of Puyallup waterway; Tacoma Harbor; Water traffic.

58. **Correspondence (Incoming): V** 1892-1906. Advertising; Alaska; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Valdez Chamber of Commerce; Valley Fair Association (Puyallup); Vancouver (B.C.) Board of Trade; Vulcan Iron Works.
 59. **Correspondence (Incoming): V** Undated. Membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 60. **Correspondence (Incoming): V Victoria, B.C., Board of Trade** 1902-04. Customs duties; tourism; Victoria-Seattle-Tacoma steamship service.
 61. **Correspondence (Incoming): W** 1892-1900. Advertising; foreign trade; membership; map of Washington illustrating the state's main industries and products; Puyallup Indian Reservation; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Washington World's Fair Commission.
 62. **Correspondence (Incoming): W** 1901. Advertising; labor unions; land speculation; memberships; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Tacoma wharves; U.S. Navy; Walla Walla Valley Fruit Fair; Western Match Company.
 63. **Correspondence (Incoming): W** 1902. Advertising; agriculture; inspection report of hydraulic elevator in the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce building; membership; reclamation of arid lands; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; warehouse space; Washington Irrigation Company; Weber Club; Western Steam Navigation Company; Weyerhaeuser Timber Company.
 64. **Correspondence (Incoming): W** 1903-05. Advertising; Alaska; forest reserve controversy; membership; Northern Pacific Railway Company; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; "Tacoma: The Electric City of the Pacific Coast; Weber Club; Western Alaska Construction Company; Western Iron and Steel Company; Whatcom Commercial Club.
 65. **Correspondence (Incoming): W** 1905-06. Advertising; foreign trade; hardware industry; membership; Oriental Trading Company; Panama Canal; Panama Railroad; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; steamship service in the Puget Sound area; tannery; Washington State Fair Commission; Wentworth Shoe and Leather Company.
 66. **Correspondence (Incoming): W** Undated. Advertising; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 67. **Correspondence (Incoming): W War Department (U.S.)** 1900-05. Alaska; establishment of an Army camp near American Lake; Panama Canal; Panama Railway; report of shipping between ports of the United States and ports in the Philippines; return of troops from the Philippines; sea travel via the Straits of Magellan; War Department refusal to change the Quartermaster's office from Seattle to Tacoma.
 68. **Correspondence (Incoming): W Washington Cooperative Mining Syndicate** 1901-02. Coal industry; financial report.
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69. **Correspondence (Incoming): W Washington (State) Agriculture Experimentation Station Puyallup, WA** 1900-02. Hemlock tree bark.
 70. **Correspondence (Incoming): W Washington (State) Bureau of Statistics, Agriculture, and Immigration** 1901-03. Advertising.
 71. **Correspondence (Incoming): W Washington (State) Military Department** 1901-04. Army maneuvers at American Lake; Camp Murray; establishment of Army camp near American Lake; visit of President McKinley to Tacoma; visit of President Roosevelt.
 72. **Correspondence (Incoming): W Washington (State), Various Agencies** 1900-06.

Fisheries; labor; mining; public instruction; public lands; visit of President McKinley.

73. **Correspondence (Incoming): W West Coast and Puget Sound Lumberman** 1903-05. Advertising, Timber industry.
74. **Correspondence (Incoming): W West Coast Grocery Co.** 1902-06. Alaska; advertising.
75. **Correspondence (Incoming): W Western Pennsylvanian Exposition, Tacoma Exhibit** 1906.
76. **Correspondence (Incoming): W Western Washington Industrial Exposition Company** 1892. Advertising; Tacoma Commercial Club.
77. **Correspondence (Incoming): X** 1902. Requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Xicico Club.
78. **Correspondence (Incoming): Y** 1900-06. Advertising; immigration; membership; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; Yakima Chamber of Commerce; Yellowstone Park Railway; Young Men's Christian Assn.; Young People's Christian Union.
79. **Correspondence (Incoming): Z** 1903-05. Advertising; requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
80. **Correspondence (Incoming) Postcards: A-B** 1892-1906. The postcards in the incoming correspondence consists mainly of advertisements, membership information, requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State, and committee meeting notices.
81. **Correspondence (Incoming) Postcards: C-D** 1892-1905. The postcards in the incoming correspondence consists mainly of advertisements, membership information, requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State, and committee meeting notices.
82. **Correspondence (Incoming) Postcards: E-H** 1892-1903. The postcards in the incoming correspondence consists mainly of advertisements, membership information, requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State, and committee meeting notices.
83. **Correspondence (Incoming) Postcards: I-K** 1892-1906. The postcards in the incoming correspondence consists mainly of advertisements, membership information, requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State, and committee meeting notices.
84. **Correspondence (Incoming) Postcards: L** 1901-05. The postcards in the incoming correspondence consists mainly of advertisements, membership information, requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State, and committee meeting notices.
85. **Correspondence (Incoming) Postcards: Mc** 1901-06. The postcards in the incoming correspondence consists mainly of advertisements, membership information, requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State, and committee meeting notices.

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86. **Correspondence (Incoming) Postcards: M** 1901-04. The postcards in the incoming correspondence consists mainly of advertisements, membership information, requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State, and committee meeting notices.
87. **Correspondence (Incoming) Postcards: M** 1905. The postcards in the incoming correspondence consists mainly of advertisements, membership information, requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State, and committee meeting notices.
88. **Correspondence (Incoming) Postcards: N-O** 1892-1905. The postcards in the incoming correspondence consists mainly of advertisements, membership information,

- requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State, and committee meeting notices.
89. **Correspondence (Incoming) Postcards: P** 1892-1906. The postcards in the incoming correspondence consists mainly of advertisements, membership information, requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State, and committee meeting notices.
 90. **Correspondence (Incoming) Postcards: R** 1892-1903. The postcards in the incoming correspondence consists mainly of advertisements, membership information, requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State, and committee meeting notices.
 91. **Correspondence (Incoming) Postcards: S** 1892-1903. The postcards in the incoming correspondence consists mainly of advertisements, membership information, requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State, and committee meeting notices.
 92. **Correspondence (Incoming) Postcards: T** 1892-1905. The postcards in the incoming correspondence consists mainly of advertisements, membership information, requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State, and committee meeting notices.
 93. **Correspondence (Incoming) Postcards: V** 1892-1902. The postcards in the incoming correspondence consists mainly of advertisements, membership information, requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State, and committee meeting notices.
 94. **Correspondence (Incoming) Postcards: W** 1901-03. The postcards in the incoming correspondence consists mainly of advertisements, membership information, requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State, and committee meeting notices.
 95. **Correspondence (Outgoing): Tacoma Chamber of Commerce** 1892-99. Advertising; answering requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; board meetings; detailed description of Tacoma industries; establishment of a U.S. Coinage Mint in Tacoma; Klondike gold rush; Puyallup Indian Reservation; Railroads; Tacoma Commercial Club minutes.
 96. **Correspondence (Outgoing): Tacoma Chamber of Commerce** 1900-02. Advertising; agriculture; Alaska; answering requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; board meetings; Chinese tariff; detailed description of American Lake and the surrounding area; dispute over location of Quartermaster depot; dredging Puyallup Waterway; establishment of a U.S. coinage mint in Tacoma; establishment of an Army post or "concentration camp" near Tacoma; exports; foreign trade; Northern Pacific Railroad; payment vouchers; preparations for the visit of President McKinley.

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97. **Correspondence (Outgoing): Tacoma Chamber of Commerce** 1903-05. Advertising, answering requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; board meetings; chemical industry; dispute over the location of the Quartermaster depot ; freight and passenger rates; lumber industry; payment vouchers.
98. **Correspondence (Outgoing): Tacoma Chamber of Commerce** 1906 (Jan-Aug). Advertising; answering requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; board meetings; coal industry; payment vouchers; shipping industry; Western Pennsylvania Exposition.
99. **Correspondence (Outgoing): Tacoma Chamber of Commerce** 1906 (Sept) Part 1. Advertising; Albers Brothers Milling Company; answering requests for

- general information on Tacoma and Washington State; board meetings, coal industry; C.P. Ferry in ill health; Hemlock bark; lumber industry; payment vouchers; railroads; tanning industry; Western Pennsylvania Exposition.
100. **Correspondence (Outgoing): Tacoma Chamber of Commerce** 1906 (Sept) Part 2. Advertising; answering requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; board meetings; coal industry; electric lighting; payment vouchers; Western Pennsylvania Exposition.
 101. **Correspondence (Outgoing): Tacoma Chamber of Commerce** 1906 (Oct). Advertising; Alaska; answering requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; board meetings; coal industry; Nome Improvement Co.; Northern Pacific Railroad; payment vouchers; Western Pennsylvania Exposition; Westinghouse Company.
 102. **Correspondence (Outgoing): Tacoma Chamber of Commerce** 1907. Answering requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State.
 103. **Correspondence (Outgoing): Tacoma Chamber of Commerce** Undated. Advertising; Alaska; answering requests for general information on Tacoma and Washington State; board meetings; dispute over the location of the Quarter-master Depot; Hemlock bark; membership; payment vouchers; proposed railroad from Tacoma via Gig Harbor and Port Orchard to connect with the Port Townsend Southern Railroad; Western Pennsylvania Exposition.
 104. **Correspondence (Outgoing): Tacoma Chamber of Commerce List of Correspondents** 1906.

BOX 4: CORRESPONDENCE; DUES LEDGERS; FINANCIAL RECORDS; JOURNAL; LETTERPRESS BOOKS.

1. **Correspondence (Outgoing): Tacoma Commercial Club** 1892. Dues, financial membership.
2. **Correspondence: Financial.**
3. **Correspondence: Lists** 1905.
4. **Correspondence: Miscellaneous.**
5. **Correspondence: Pamphlet**—The American Invasion of Europe...
6. **Correspondence: Pamphlet**—Annual Report of Major General Arthur MacArthur; U.S. Army; Commanding the Pacific Division 1904.
7. **Correspondence: Pamphlet**—Digest of Immigration Statistics: Effects of Immigration Upon the United States and Reasons for Further Restriction.

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8. **Correspondence: Pamphlet**—International Arbitration.
9. **Correspondence: Pamphlet**—Letter from the Secretary of War 1902.
10. **Correspondence: Pamphlet**—Mexican Permanent Exchange.
11. **Correspondence: Pamphlet**—A Monument to American Patriotism: The Memorial Bridge.
12. **Correspondence: Pamphlet**—Reciprocity with Canada 1901.
13. **Correspondence: Report**—Vegetation Diseases Act 1896: Importation of Certain Plants into Victoria Prohibited.
14. **Correspondence: Stockholders Lists.**
15. **Dues Ledger:** 1897-99.
16. **Dues Ledger:** 1900-01.

17. **Financial: Cash Ledger Book** 1887-95.
18. **Financial: Cash Ledger Book** 1896-1905.
19. **Financial: Cash Ledger Book** 1903-05.
20. **Financial: Journal**—Samuel Callyer, Agent 1896-1905.
21. **Letterpress Books:** Mar.-Nov. 1890. (See boxes 5, 6, 12, 13, and 14 for more letterpress books).
22. **Letterpress Books:** Dec. 1891-Aug. 1892.

BOX 5: LETTERPRESS BOOKS.

1. **Letterpress Books:** 1892 (Apr-Jul).
2. **Letterpress Books:** 1894 (Mar-Jun).
3. **Letterpress Books:** 1894 (Jun-Nov).
4. **Letterpress Books:** 1895 (Aug-Nov).
5. **Letterpress Books:** Oct 1899-Jun 1900.
6. **Letterpress Books:** 1901 (Jan-Oct).
7. **Letterpress Books:** Oct 1901-May 1902.
8. **Letterpress Books:** May 1902-Feb 1903.

BOX 6: LETTERPRESS BOOKS, MIMEOGRAPH BOOKS.

1. **Letterpress Books:** 1903 (Feb-Dec).
2. **Letterpress Books:** 1904 (Jan-Sep).
3. **Letterpress Books:** Sep 1904-May 1905.
4. **Letterpress Books:** 1905 (May-Oct).
5. **Letterpress Books:** Dec 1905-Apr 1906.
6. **Letterpress Books:** 1906 (Apr-Jun).
7. **Mimeograph Book:** 1927-1928. Civic affairs; forestry; fire prevention; Good Roads Assn.; harbor development; marine issues; merchant concerns; military and naval affairs; Narrows Bridge; railroads; rural development; Tacoma facts; taxation; transportation; tourism.

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BOX 7: MIMEOGRAPH BOOKS.

1. **Mimeograph Books:** 1929. Aeronautics; civic affairs; fire prevention; harbor development; legislation and taxation; maritime transportation; membership; military/ naval affairs; mining; public safety; railroads; roads; roads- highways- bridges; rural development; tourism; traffic.
2. **Mimeograph Books:** 1930. Aeronautics; census; civic affairs; harbor development; industrial development; legislation and taxation; marine and foreign trade; membership; military and naval affairs; mining; new businesses; public safety; tourism; railroads; roads/highways; rural development; trade; traffic;

- transportation; unemployment relief; wholesale distributors.
3. **Mimeograph Books:** 1931. Aeronautics; civic affairs; domestic trade; harbor development; legislation/taxation; marine/international relations; memberships; military military/naval affairs; mining; music; Narrows Bridge; new businesses; public carriers; public safety; Puget Sound Power and Light Co.; railroads; roads/highways; silver; state development; tourism; trade development; traffic/transportation; unemployment relief; wholesale distributors.
 4. **Mimeograph Books:** 1932. Aeronautics; civic affairs; domestic trade; harbor development; legislation/taxation; marine-foreign trade-international relations; memberships; military/naval affairs; mining; new businesses; public carriers; railroads; retail trade; roads/highways; silver; state development; traffic and transportation; unemployment relief; wholesale distributors.
 5. **Mimeograph Books:** 1933. Aeronautics; Alaska; Civilian Conservation Corps camps; civic affairs; daffodil festival; domestic trade; harbor development; legislation/taxation; marine/foreign trade; membership; military/naval affairs; mining; new business; "Pay Your Taxes" campaign; public carriers; printers; tourism; roads/highways; state development; wholesale distributors.

BOX 8: MIMEOGRAPH BOOKS.

1. **Mimeograph Books:** 1934. Alaska; civic affairs; daffodil festival; domestic trade; harbor developments; junior chamber of commerce; legislation/taxation; marine-foreign trade-international relations; memberships; military/naval affairs; mining; new firms; roads/highways; state developments; tourism; traffic and transportation; wholesale distributors.
2. **Mimeograph Books:** 1935. Alaska; capital-capital races; civic affairs; daffodil festival; domestic trade; harbor development; highway transportation; junior chamber of commerce; legislation/taxation; marine-foreign trade-international relations; memberships; military/naval affairs; mining; new businesses; Olympic Games; public education; state development; tourism; traffic and transportation; wholesale distributors.
3. **Mimeograph Books:** 1936. Alaska; Armistice Day game; chain gang; city traffic; civic affairs; domestic trade; daffodil festival; highway transportation; junior chamber of commerce; legislation/taxation; marine/foreign trade; membership; military/naval affairs; new firms; Narrows Bridge; public carriers; public education; roads-highways-bridges; tourism; state development; traffic and transportation; wholesale distributors.

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4. **Mimeograph Books:** 1937. Alaska; baseball; chain gang; city traffic; civic affairs; daffodil festival; harbor development; highway transportation; junior chamber of commerce; legislation/taxation; marine/foreign trade; membership; military and naval affairs; mining; Narrows Bridge; new firms; public education; roads-highways-bridges; state development; tourism; trade expansion; traffic; transportation; wholesale distributors.
5. **Mimeograph Books:** 1938. Alaska; chain gang; civic affairs; daffodil festival; fire prevention; harbor development; health; junior chamber of commerce; legislation and taxation; marine affairs and foreign trade; membership; military/naval affairs; mining; motor transportation; new firms; public education; tourism; railroad carriers; retail trade; roads; sports; state development;

traffic; Washington State Golden Jubilee; water; wholesale distributors.

BOX 9: MIMEOGRAPH BOOKS, MINUTES BOOKS.

1. **Mimeograph Books:** 1939. Alaska; chain gang; city-county building; civic affairs; fire control; harbor development; junior chamber of commerce; legislation; marine affairs/foreign trade; membership; mining; military/naval affairs; motor transportation; new firms; public education; rail carriers; retail trade; roads; sports; state development; traffic; transportation; Washington State Golden Jubilee; wholesale distributors.
2. **Mimeograph Books:** 1940. Alaska; census; civic affairs; daffodil festival; golf match; harbor development; hospitality; legislation; marine affairs and foreign trade; membership; military/naval affairs; motor transportation; Narrows Bridge celebration-opening of new bridge; Pacific Northwest shippers emergency; public education; rail carriers; retail trade; roads; sports; state development; Tacoma Co-op office; tourism; transportation; wholesale distributors.
3. **Mimeograph Books:** 1941. Alaska; civil affairs; daffodil festival; junior chamber of commerce; legislation; marine affairs and foreign trade; membership; military/naval affairs; public education; public health; publicity; retail trade; roads-highways-bridges; sports; state development; Tacoma Co-op office; tourism; traffic; transportation.
4. **Mimeograph Books:** 1942. Alaska; civic affairs; daffodil festival; junior chamber of commerce; legislation; marine affairs and foreign trade; membership; military/naval affairs; motor transportation; new firms; public education; publicity; rail carriers; retail trade; roads-highways-bridges; sports; state development; traffic; transportation; War Production Board.
5. **Minutes Book:** Apr 1907-Sep 1910 Part 1. Commercial relations between the United States and Japan; extension of Jefferson Avenue to Center Street; flood conditions in the Puyallup and Duwamish River valleys; inadequate steamboat service to Vashon Island; Japanese immigration; lease of harbor area in front of Oakes Street; Methodist Foreign Missions convention; Montana Knitting Mills; new Northern Pacific Railway depot; obituary for B. F. Heuston; Pacific Traction Company; prejudicial treatment of Japan by the United States government; proposal to locate a car manufacturing plant in Tacoma; proposed power plant

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for Tacoma; purchase of the majority of stock in the Alaska-Pacific Steamship Company; railroad interstate freight rates; rural mail service; Spanish-American War veterans; Standard Oil Co.; Tacoma Eastern Railway; Tacoma exhibit at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition; Tacoma public building; telephone line to Gig Harbor; Washington Parlor Furniture Company.

6. **Minutes Book:** Apr 1907-Sep 1910 Part 2. Advertisements; Alaska; boat run between Tacoma and Bremerton needed; Carstens Packing Company; Defiance Lumber Company; entertainment of the U.S. Navy's Atlantic Fleet while visiting Puget Sound; establishment of a naval base on Puget Sound; fire protection in Tacoma

public schools; funding for a wagon road between Morton and Glenavon; Good Roads Association; improvements of the Puyallup River; Indian Commission; international trade and relations with China, Japan, and Korea; invitation of Japanese Consul (in Seattle) for members of the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce to visit Japan; Manila Merchants Association; McNeil's Island Penitentiary; military maneuvers at American Lake; National Civil Service Reform League; National Lumber Manufacturers Assn.; need of additional fortifications for the defense of Puget Sound; Pacific Railway depot; Philippines trade; proposal for the consolidation of the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce and the Tacoma Commercial Club; railroad rate dispute on shipments to Walla Walla; Tacoma port facilities; Tacoma tidelands lawsuit; Yellow Fever Commission.

7. **Minutes Book:** Apr 1907-Sep 1910 Part 3. Advertising; Alaska; Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition; American Lake; assessment and taxation of railroad right-of-ways; Bremerton boat service; budget issues; Committee on Consolidating the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce and the Tacoma Commercial Club; controversy over the admission of automobiles in Mount Rainier National Park; Good Roads Association; improvements to the Puyallup River; Japanese chambers of commerce (Yokohama, Tokyo, Kyoto, Osaka, Kobe) reciprocal visit to Tacoma; Municipal Tacoma Power Plant vote; National Apple Show; new federal building; new Northern Pacific Railway depot; Panama Canal; protest against the closing of Hecate Strait and Dixon Entrance to American fishermen by the Canadian government; stadium; steamship service between Tacoma and British Columbia ports; Tacoma Chamber of Commerce delegation trip to Japan; U.S. Senate appropriations for the construction of a canal between Lakes Union and Washington in King County.
8. **Minutes Book:** Apr 1907-Sep 1910 Part 4. Advertising; Alaska; Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition; annexation of Steilacoom by Tacoma vote; Carstens Packing Company; conservation of forests along Mount Tacoma Canyon Road; Ferry Museum; foreign trade; Good Roads Association; Japanese trade; joint visit of American and Japanese warships; memorials to Congressman Cushman and C.P. Ferry; new Northern Pacific Railway depot; Panama Canal; Panama Railroad; paving of Center Streets and Puyallup Avenue; proposed highway between Puget Sound Navigation Company; railroad freight rates; soldiers home in Orting; Tacoma Railway and Power Company; trade with the Philippines; Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress; Valley Fair Association of Puyallup; visit of Japanese businessmen and the Honorary Commercial Commissioners of Japan; visit of President Taft; Washington State Historical Society.

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9. **Minutes Book:** Apr 1907-Sep 1910 Part 5. 1910 Census; Advertising; Alaska; aviation meets; Burton Navigation Company; dredging of the Puyallup Waterway; extension of Center Street; Ferry Museum site selection; Good Roads Association; Hawaii; lowering of tax levies; military tournament at American Lake; Mt. Tacoma Canyon Road; Puyallup Indian School; railroad freight rates; small arms target range at American Lake; South Tacoma wells; stadium; Tacoma Baseball Association; tariffs; trade with Japan; Wapato Creek; Washington State Good Roads Association; Washington State Historical Society.
- 10 **Minutes Book:** Apr 1907-Sep 1910 Part 6. 11th Street Bridge improvements; advertising; Center Street extension; Committee on Consolidating the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce and the Tacoma Commercial Club; labor unions; military tournament at American Lake; Mt. Tacoma Canyon Road; municipal dock;

Puyallup Waterway; “open shop” principle; railroads; replat of the tidelands; Rotary Club; South Tacoma Road; special election called by the Tacoma School Board to authorize the sale of the site near the stadium for the new home of the Ferry Museum and Washington State Historical Society; stadium; Tacoma Humane Society; Tacoma Traffic Association; tariffs; Western Washington Fair Association; White River diversion.

- 11 **Minutes Book:** Sept 1910-Jun 1911. Advertising; advocacy of stronger naval defenses on the Pacific Coast; agriculture; Alaska; attempts to establish an Army Camp at American Lake; Berlin Machine Works; call for bridges over the City and Puyallup Waterways; Canadian fruit tariffs; Chinese Relief Fund; consolidation of the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce and the Tacoma Commercial Club; construction of the Point Defiance tunnel; Cushman Indian Trade School; Employers Liability Bill; financial statements; fishing industry; foreign trade; Good Roads Association; Hawaii; Home Rule Convention for Alaska; Hotel Men’s Publicity Association; immigration; Indian Appropriations Act of 1910; irregularities in the census count of Tacoma; irrigation; Mt. Tacoma Canyon Road; National Rivers and harbors Congress; Northern Pacific Railway Company; obituary of Robert Laird McCormick; opening of new Ferry museum and Washington State Historical Society building; Pacific Highway Association; Panama-Pacific International Exposition; railroads; re-incorporation of the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce; resolution calling for the removal of the dam which diverts the White River Into the Puyallup; “See America First” campaign; shipping industry; tourism; women’s clubs; Wright Company sending five airplanes to the West Coast for demonstrations; Y.M.C.A.

BOX 10: MINUTES BOOKS.

1. **Minutes Book:** Jan 1916-Feb 1926. Airmail service; Alaska; automobiles; aviation; baseball; Camp Lewis; Census (1920); Columbia River irrigation project; Cushman Lake Power Development project; daylight savings time; discontinuing the teaching of German in public schools; education; electric power; entertainment of soldiers; factory sites; ferries; film—*Birth of a Nation*; finances; fishing industry; Gig Harbor ferry; housing; industrial development; international relations; Japan; Knights of Pythias; Liberty Loans; library; longshoreman’s strike; membership lists; mining industry; Mt. Rainier National Park; moving picture film; Naches Pass; name dispute—Mt. Rainier vs. Mt. Tacoma; Pacific Lutheran Academy; Panama Canal; patriotic parade (1917); Philippine Islands; Quartermaster’s office; radio broadcasts; railroads; railroad rates and strikes; reduction of troops at Camp Lewis; return of troops from Europe; roads; Salvation Army; shingle duties; shipbuilding; shipping industry; Stadium High School and Bowl; Tacoma charities; Tacoma Dock; Tacoma Rose Society; taxes; tideflats fire protection; timber industry; tourism; trade; traffic; transportation; U.S. Army; U.S. Navy; universal military training; Wapata-Satus irrigation project; War Chest Plan; war situation reports; War Resources Board; Washington State Historical Society; Western Washington State Fair; Weyerhaeuser Timber Company; World War I.
2. **Minutes Book:** Mar 1926-Dec 1929. Airmail service; airport; Alaska; American-Oriental Mail

Line; baseball; Camp Lewis; Columbia Basin irrigation project; commercial survey of the Pacific Northwest; courthouse fire hazard; Cushman Lake power project; dirigible hangar; electric power; ferry rates and service; finances; fire protection; fishing industry; flood control; foreign trade; Harold Bromley's Tacoma-Tokyo flight; Hawaii; immigration; Interstate Commerce Commission; Japan; Lindbergh visit; membership lists; Mt. Rainier National Park; municipal golf course; Narrows Bridge; Northern Pacific—Great Northern Railway merger; Olympic Games; publicity; pulp mills; radio broadcasts; railroads; reforestation; Spanish War veterans; Stadium Bowl; state parks; steamship routes; Tacoma Drama League; taxes; telephone service; tideflats; timber industry; traffic and transportation; tuberculosis; U.S. Army; U.S. Navy; veteran's bureau; war debts; water meters; White Pass.

3. Minutes Book: Jan 1930-Dec 1932. Airmail service; airplane travel; Alaska; Cascade tunnel; census (1930); College of Puget Sound; Columbia Basin irrigation; communist propaganda; Cushman Indian Hospital; dirigible base; Farmers' Free Market; financial; fishing industry; football; foreign trade; Fort Lewis; Grand Coulee Dam; Hawaii; Hylebos Waterway; Japanese immigration and trade; membership lists; mining industry; Mt. Rainier National Park; Narrows Bridge; Pacific Lutheran College; Philippine independence; President Hoover trip; publicity; radio broadcasts; railroads; restoration of Fort Nisqually; roads; Robert Warck's Tacoma-Tokyo flight; Russian lumber imports; "Stadium Slide;" Stampede Pass Highway; steamship service; tariffs; taxes; tideflats; timber industry; unemployment relief and statistics; U.S. Army; U.S. Customs Service; U.S. Navy; Veterans' Disability Relief; Veterans' Home site; welfare funds.

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4. Minutes Book: Jan 1933-Dec 1935. Airmail service; airport, Alaska; Army/Navy transports; banks; Canadian trade; communism; currency stabilization; Daylight Savings Time; depreciated currency; electric power; Federal Farm Relief program; Federal projects; Ferry Museum; fishing industry; flood control; forests; Fort Lewis; Fort Lewis airfield; gambling; Grand Coulee Dam; Great Northern Railway; Hawaii; health services and survey; highway; Home Modernization Campaign; hydrographic surveys; irrigation; Japanese exclusion; labor disputes; liquor control; McNeil Island Penitentiary; mining; Mt. Rainier National Park; Naches Pass survey; Narrows Bridge; National Recovery Act; "New Deal;" Olympic Games; Philippine independence; psychiatric hospital; public works; publicity; Puget Sound to Columbia River canal; rail rates; railroads; Red Cross; roads; social agencies; State Game Commission; state mineral survey; Tacoma's financial condition; taxes; trade; unemployment relief; U.S. Army; U.S. Navy; welfare relief; wheat farmers relief.
5. Minutes Book: Jan 1936-Dec 1938. African-American wages and hours bill; air base; airmail; airport; Alaska; baseball; Bonneville Dam; Bonneville power rates; Canadian trade; city-county health office; Civilian Conservation Corps; Coulee Dam; Evergreen Playground Association; federal building; Federal Housing Act; ferry rates; financial; fire prevention; fishing industry; flood control; football; forestry; Fort Lewis; furniture worker strike; highway code and projects; Hylebos Bridge; Inland Navigation Company; Japanese-Chinese War; Lincoln High School;

- longshoremen's strike; maritime strike; membership lists; Mt. Rainier National Park; Narrows Bridge; national defense; Olympic National Park; oysters; Pacific Lutheran College, parks; Philippines trade; Pierce County relief; public education; publicity; railroads; railroad rates; roads; Stadium High School; steamship service; Tacoma Fish and Packing Co.; Tacoma Harbor; Tacoma water supply; taxes; tideflats; timber industry; traffic; tuberculosis; unemployment; unions; United Kingdom trade; U.S. Army; U.S. Chamber of Commerce; U.S. Navy; wine; Works Project Administration.
6. Minutes Book: Jan 1939-Dec 1941. Air line service; airport; Alaska; aluminum plant; American Red Cross—European Relief Fund; baseball; Boeing expansion; Bonneville Power Administration; boycott of Japanese merchandise; Cascade National Park; census (1940); city parks; Civilian Conservation Corps; defense industries; Evergreen Playground Association; ferry rates and service; financial; fishing industry; flood control; foreign trade; Fort Lewis; Home Registration Bureau; housing projects; Japanese trade treaty renewal; lumber strike (1940); McChord air base; membership lists; mining bureau; Mt. Rainier National Park; Municipal Defense Council; Narrows Bridge; national defense policy; neutrality legislation; Northwest Airlines; Olympic National Park; power rates; publicity; public schools; Puget Sound Freight Lines; pulp mill odor; Puyallup River, radio; railroads; railroad rates; reforestation; roads; salmon runs; shipbuilding; shipping industry; shipyards; Social Security; steamship service; tariffs; taxes; timber industry; United Air Lines; venereal diseases; Wapato Waterway; Washington State golden jubilee; water issues; Works Project Administration.

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7. Minutes Book: Jan 1942-Dec 1945. African-American labor; airline service; airport; Alaska; Alaska-Canada Highway; aluminum production; Annie Wright Seminary; baseball; black market; Boeing; Bonneville power rates; cancellation of war contracts; China; civilian defense; Columbia Basin irrigation; Columbia Valley Authority; defense housing; Defense Plant Corporation; Evergreen Playground Association; financial; fire prevention; Fort Lewis; freight rates; fuel shortages; Grand Coulee Dam; Halibut fishing industry; highways; "hotel for colored people;" IRS; Italian prisoners of war; Japanese evacuation from the Pacific Northwest; labor on naval and military projects; labor recruitment; McChord Air Base; membership; Mt. Rainier National Park; Narrows Bridge; Nisqually power plant; Olympic National Park; post-war planning; public education; publicity; pulp mill odor; questionnaire: "What am I doing to help win the war?;" railroads; rationing; "rat plague;" Red Cross; returning servicemen; school levies; scrap drive; shipping industry; shipyard problems; steel plant; taxes; tideflats; timber industry; U.S. Army; Wage Stabilization Board; war bonds; War Manpower Commission; War Production Board; World War II.
8. Minutes Book: Jan 1946-Dec 1950. Airline service; air pollution; Alaska; American Opportunity Program; army engineers office; baseball; Bonneville Power Administration; bus depot and service; bus strike; Chinese Supply Commission; city light; Columbia Valley Authority (CVA); Cowlitz River project; Evergreen Playground Assn.; federal aid to schools; federal building; ferry service; financial; flood control; Fort Lewis; Great Northern fast train service; Hawaii; Inland Navigation Co.; Japan; Japanese trade; Korea; local improvement districts; McChord Air Base; member-

ship lists; military housing; Mt. Rainier National Park; Narrows Bridge; naval installations; naval supply depot; Northwest Airlines; Northwest power crisis; Olympic National Park; Pacific Northwest Trade Association; police department; port development; public education; public lands policies; publicity; Puyallup; radio; railroads; roads; Seattle-Tacoma Airport; small boat harbor; smoke control; Snoqualmie Pass; Stadium Bowl; steamer service; Tacoma Public Library; taxes; timber industry; Todd Pacific plant; tourism; United Nations; U.S. Army; U.S. Customs Service; U.S. Navy; universal military training; Vashon Island ferry; venereal diseases; Wapato Waterway; war reparations; War Shipping Admin.; water meters and rates; Western Airlines; wheat shortage.

BOX 11: MINUTES BOOKS, REPORTS, VISITORS' REGISTER.

1. Minutes Book: 1951-58. Air freight; airline routes and service; air pollution; airport; Alaska; aluminum plant; baseball; basketball; Bon Marche; bus service; city parks; College of Puget Sound; electric power; federal building; Fife incorporation; finances; fishing industry; foreign trade; Fort Lewis; Fox Island ferry; Green River project; Hawaii; highways; immigration; Inland Navigation Co.; Interstate Commerce Commission; marine affairs; McChord Air Base; membership lists; military housing; minimum wage; Mt. Rainier National Park; Narrows Bridge; national parks; natural gas; naval supply depot; oil refineries; Olympic National Park; Pacific Northwest Trade Association; Panama Canal; parking; public education; railroads; sewage; shipbuilding; Snoqualmie Pass; Stadium Bowl; steamship service; Tacoma Harbor; Tacoma Public Library; taxes; Tidehaven incorporation; tidelands; timber industry; traffic; United Parcel Service; U.S. Army; water resources; wilderness areas.

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2. Minutes Book: 1959-70. Airline service; air pollution; airport; Alaska; Allied Arts Program; baseball; Bonneville Power Administration; bridges; Camas Prairie Railroad; civic auditorium; domestic and foreign trade; education; finances; fire protection and prevention; Fort Lewis; Geneva Steel rate case; Hawaii; highways; housing; Hylebos Waterway; industrial bureau; Japan; marine affairs; McChord Air Base; membership; Mt. Rainier National Park; Narrows Bridge; National Guard of Washington State; Olympic National Park; parking; Port of Tacoma; publicity; railroads; Retail Trade Bureau; schools; Stadium Bowl; taxes; timber industry; tourist and convention bureau; tourism; traffic; unemployment compensation; United Parcel Service; U.S. Indian hospital facility; urban renewal; water pollution; water resources; wilderness areas.
3. Reports: 1938. Tideflats Planning; Tacoma Harbor Survey; Narrows Bridge; annual report of the Tacoma Harbor Master.
4. Reports: 1940. Tacoma Industrial Properties; Industrial Locations in Tacoma; "Industrial Tacoma;" Tacoma Statistics 1940; Blue Book of Tacoma: Buyers Guide and Membership Roster; annual report of the Tacoma Harbor Master.
5. Reports: 1946. Industrial Tacoma: A Presentation of Basic Facts for Industry; Tacoma Statistics 1945; Tacoma Statistics 1944; The Blue Book of Tacoma: Buyers Guide and Membership Roster; Industrial Locations in Tacoma; Washington County Basic Data Sheets; Report of the Tideflats Planning Committee.
6. Visitors' Register: 1889-96.

BOX 12:* LETTERPRESS BOOKS.

1. Letterpress Books: Jul 1888-Mar 1889.
2. Letterpress Books: 1896 (May-Sep).
3. Letterpress Books: 1897 (May-Oct).
4. Letterpress Books: 1898 (Jan-Aug).

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BOX 13:* LETTERPRESS BOOKS.

1. Letterpress Books: Aug 1898-Jan 1899.
2. Letterpress Books: 1905 (Oct-Dec).
3. Letterpress Books: 1906 (Jun-Nov).

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BOX 14:* LETTERPRESS BOOKS.

1. Letterpress Books: Receipts 1893-94.
2. Letterpress Books: Dec. 1896-May 1897.

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BOX 15:* SCRAPBOOKS.

1. Scrapbook: Jul 1926-Dec 1926. Gig Harbor ferry; Herbert Hoover visit; Mt. Tacoma (Rainier) project; poultry show; Queen Marie of Romania visit; tideflats road improvement.
2. Scrapbook: Dec 1926-Apr 1927. Controversy over the name of Mt. Rainier; Pacific Highway bridge over the Puyallup River dedication; plans developed to combat forest fires; Tacoma water supply.

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BOX 16:* SCRAPBOOKS.

1. Scrapbooks: Apr 1927-Oct 1927. Air mail route stop; Camp Lewis renovation; Charles Lindbergh visit; forestry industry; pulp mills; tideflats; tideflats annexations; tourism.
2. Scrapbooks: Oct 1927-May 1928. Cushman power project; pulp mills; Tacoma airport project.

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BOX 17:* SCRAPBOOKS.

1. Scrapbooks: May 1928-Apr 1929. Air tours of Mt. Rainier, approval of Narrows Bridge project; electric power; farm conference; Fort Lewis air base; General Charles Summerall inspection of Fort Lewis; lumber mills; national air tour; Olympia to Juneau sea race; tourism; Western Washington Fair.
2. Scrapbooks: Apr 1929-Jul 1929. Plans for Tacoma to Tokyo flight by Harold Bromley, Pierce County airport, tideflats development, visit by U.S. Navy for Tacoma's July 4th celebration.

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BOX 18:* SCRAPBOOKS.

1. Scrapbooks: Jul 1929-Sep 1929. Air mail service; baseball; China trade issues; dirigible base site; Gig Harbor ferry; Harold Bromley flight—Tacoma to Tokyo; Mt. Tacoma name controversy; Olympic National Park; visit of Japanese naval ships.
2. Scrapbooks: Sep 1929-Dec 1929. Air mail service; dirigible base; fiftieth anniversary of the invention of the light bulb, fishing industry; Harold Bromley flight—Tacoma to Tokyo, lumber and shingle tariff; Narrows Bridge; power crisis; pulp mills; Soviet flight across the Pacific Ocean.

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BOX 19:* SCRAPBOOKS.

1. Scrapbooks: Dec 1929-Mar 1930. Aircraft carrier U.S.S. Lexington visit; aviation; Cushman Dam and power plant construction; drought; electric power plants and shortages; fishing industry; forecast of prosperity for 1930; gas price war; Pierce County airport; timber tariff; U.S. Census; U.S.S. Lexington used as temporary power plant for Tacoma.
2. Scrapbooks: 1930 (Mar-Apr). Cushman Dam power plant; dedication of Longview Bridge by President Herbert Hoover; Timber tariff; U.S. Census.

BOX 20: VISITORS' REGISTER, MINUTES BOOK.**

1. Visitors' Register: 1891-94.
2. Minutes Book: Tacoma Commercial Club 1891-94. 11th Street Bridge; advertising; agriculture; "anglicizing of the Puyallup Indians;" annexation of the Hawaiian Islands by the United States; annexation of the suburbs into the city of Tacoma; Articles of Incorporation of the Tacoma Commercial Club; bankruptcy laws; W.P. Bonney; British Vice Consul; call for restrictions to be removed on the use of Puyallup Indian lands made by the Tacoma Commercial Club and the Tacoma Chamber

of Commerce; Chicago World's Fair of 1892; China; Constitution of the Tacoma Commercial Club; construction of a bicycle road through the Puyallup Indian Reservation; cooperation with the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce; construction of a road to Mt. Tacoma (Rainier); construction of Pacific Lutheran University; county jail; dividing Tacoma into wards; donation of 100 acres of land at Point Defiance for a "permanent camp of the National Guard of Washington;" establishment of a Japanese "wholesale house;" establishment of an Army post in the vicinity of Tacoma and if "possible at Point Defiance;" establishment of Mount Tacoma (Rainier) as a national park; extension of 11th to 15th Streets to the harbor; C.P. Ferry; Ferry Museum; financial statements; fire insurance; foreign trade; harassment of foreign ship captains by U.S. Customs; Hawaii; Harbor Line Commission; Hood Canal; hotel industry; immigration; importation of song birds into Oregon; insurance; Lake Washington canal project; Lt. Schwatka's expedition up Mt. Tacoma (Rainier); looming war with Chile; lumber industry; membership; Merchant Dispatch Company; Merchant's National Bank; movement to make Puyallup the state capitol; need for a bridge over the Puyallup and Nisqually Rivers; need for a public library; need for coastal protection by the U.S. Navy; Nicaraguan Canal; Northern Pacific Railroad Company; opening of the Puyallup Indian Reservation; Pacific Coast Steamship Company; Pacific Insurance Union; paving of Tacoma streets; plan to consolidate the Tacoma Commercial Club and the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce; Fred G. Plummer; preparation and revision of the Tacoma City Charter; Puyallup Indian Reservation; railroads; Frank Ross; sale of Puyallup Indian Reservation lands; Seattle Chamber of Commerce; sewage; shade tree ordinance; shingle mills; steamer route between Tacoma and Sydney; street improvement bonds; Tacoma Athletic Club; Tacoma Box Company; Tacoma Commercial Club protesting the possible division of Pierce County; Tacoma Land Company; tideflats; tourism; "uncleanly" condition of Tacoma's streets

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and alleys; U.S. Census; Washington Iron and Steel Company; Washington State Press Association; water bonds; waterfront construction; Western Washington Industrial Exposition; YMCA.

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BOX 21: MINUTES BOOK, FINANCIAL LEDGERS.**

1. Minutes Book: Apr 1902-Mar 1907. Addressing requests for information on Tacoma; advertising; agriculture; Alaska; Alaska Boundary Commission; Alaska Klondike Gold Mining Exhibit at the Jamestown Exposition; Alaska Steamship Company; Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition; attempt to purchase Puyallup Indian lands; baseball park; Bremerton ferry; China; Chinese Exclusion Act; Colville Indian Reservation; Commissary Agent; construction of roads through the Mt. Tacoma (Rainier) Reserve; construction of the Puyallup River Bridge; dredging of the Puyallup Waterway; establishment of a territorial government in Alaska; financial statements; fire boat; flour mills; foreign trade and relations; furniture industry; Gig Harbor ferry; harbor improvements; headquarters for the Light House Office; immigration; Immigration Restriction League; improvement

of the Mt. Tacoma (Rainier) Reserve; improvement of the Puyallup Indian School; insurance; irregular mail service in Alaska; irrigation; Japan; Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition; Life-Saving Station; lobbying for an Army post near Tacoma; lobbying for the establishment of a U.S. Mint branch in Tacoma; location for the United Norwegian Lutheran College; lumber industry; membership; mining; Mt. Tacoma Water Supply Company; National Good Roads Association; Northern Pacific Railroad Company; Northern Pacific Railway "right-of-ways" in Tacoma; Northern Pacific Railway's waterfront rights in Tacoma; Panama Canal; paving of St. Helen's Avenue; Point Defiance Park; proposed boat run between Tacoma and Everett; Puget Sound Immigration Bureau; Puyallup Indian Reservation; Quartermaster's Office; railroad freight and passenger rates; relief fund for famine victims in Northern Japan; relief funds for the victims of the San Francisco Earthquake of 1906; resolution supporting U.S. Senate bill 4579 granting pensions to certain officers and enlisted men of the Life-Saving Service and to their widows and minor children; Rivers and Harbors Bill; "See America First" campaign; shipping industry; Standard Oil Company plant; steamship service between Tacoma and Valdez, Alaska; Tacoma Armory; Tacoma Development Club; Tacoma—Eastern Railway; Tacoma Railway and Power Company; Tacoma water rates; tariffs; Tea Inspection Act; telephone and telegraph service to Gig Harbor; Trans-Mississippi Congress; Vulcan Iron Works; Washington Cooperative Mining Company; YMCA.

2. Financial Ledger: 1890-1896 Tacoma Commercial Club.
3. Financial Ledger: 1894-1897 Tacoma Chamber of Commerce.

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BOX 22:**

1. Minutes Book: Citizen's Harbor Development Committee 1911-1912
2. Scrapbook: Apr 1924-Jul 1926. Tourist Information Bureau; furniture industry; Lake Cushman project.

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BOX 23: SCRAPBOOKS.**

1. Scrapbook: Dec. 1905-Dec. 1907. 11th Street Bridge; Alaska; General J.M. Aston; banking laws; Chicago, Milwaukee, and St. Paul Railroad; coal industry; construction of Chicago; Milwaukee, and St. Paul Railroad lines; construction of Northern Pacific Railway lines; dynamite; federal regulation of railroad rates; "Fifty Years of Street Railroadage;" foreign trade; Great Northern filling of the tidelands; Great Northern Railroad; E.H. Harriman; Harriman—Hill court case; Harriman Railway System; King County roads; lumber industry;

Northern Pacific Railway Company; Olympia Electric Line; Pierce County Roads; Puyallup water system; railroad accidents and robberies; railroad construction statistics for 1905; Railroad Rate Bill; railroads; Frank Ross; Snoqualmie Pass highway and railroad route; surveys of American Lake; Tacoma Eastern Railroad; Tacoma Tidelands litigation; Union Pacific Railroad Company; Weyerhaeuser Timber Company; wheat rates.

2. Scrapbook: 1907. African-American s recruited to work on the western railroad lines; agriculture; Alaska; Alaskan coal production; banking laws; Chicago, Milwaukee, and Puget Sound Railroad Company; Chicago, Milwaukee, and St. Paul Railroad Company; coal; A.J. Earling; federal regulation of the railroads urged by railroad executives; foreign trade and relations; Great Northern Railroad; graft and corruption in major railroad companies revealed; growth of industry and the railroads in the Pacific Northwest; E.H. Harriman; James Hill; Interstate Commerce Commission; labor unions; lumber industry; J.P. Morgan; need for an Alaska railroad; Open Port Bill; Panama Canal; plan of Ashton-Mason-Ross tideland property; President Theodore Roosevelt's meetings with railroad executives; rail car shortage; railroad rates; railroad competition in the Pacific Northwest; railroad improvements in Olympia; railroad lines plans for the Olympic Peninsula; railroad taxes; "railroad war;" Reciprocal Demurage Law; Frank Ross; Southern Pacific Railroad; Spokane railroad freight rate hearings; Standard Oil Company; steamship service; steamship subsidies; Tacoma Railway and Power Company; Tacoma tidelands; train wrecks and fatalities; transcontinental telephone service; Union Pacific Railroad; Washington State Railroad Commission; waterfront rights; weather conditions; wheat exports.

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BOX 24: SCRAPBOOK.

1. Scrapbook: 1913. 40th anniversary of the arrival of the Northern Pacific Railroad in Tacoma; Agriculture; Alaska; Alaska cable; Alaskan railroads; Alaska steamship service; automobiles; baseball park; Balkan Crisis; Nelson Bennett obituary; Brown's Point Lighthouse; Canadian Pacific Railway; Chicago, Milwaukee, and St. Paul Railroad; coal; cotton; electrification of rail lines; embargo on Puget Sound lumber; floods; flour and wheat rates; foreign trade and relations; government railroad proposed for Alaska; Halibut fishing industry; Harriman Line; Hawaii; heavy snowfalls in the Cascades blocking rail traffic; highway levy; immigration; International Workers of the World (IWW); IWW headquarters in Seattle destroyed by rioters; irrigation; Japanese-Americans; Japanese trade; labor unions; low voter turnout in Tacoma city elections (about 3 percent); lumber exports; lumber industry; map of highway system in Pierce County; military exercises at American Lake; J.P. Morgan obituary; Mount Rainier National Park; Municipal Car Line; natural disasters; new 11th Street Bridge; Northern Pacific Railway Company; opening of the Panama Canal; opium trade; Page Lumber Company; Panama Canal; Parcel Post; Pasco—Spokane railroad rivalry; paving and building of roads; plan for

Alaska to Panama railroad; Point Defiance Tunnel; power rates; Puget Sound Navy Yard; Puyallup River Bridge; railroad fatalities; railroad rates and fares; railroads; regulation of A.T. & T.; Frank Ross; salmon; shipping industry; shipwrecks; silk; Snoqualmie Pass tunnel; Southern Pacific Railroad Company; steamship rates; steamship "Tacoma;" Sunset Telephone Company; Tacoma East Waterway Plan; Tacoma Harbor; Tacoma *Ledger* 30th anniversary; Tacoma power plant; Tacoma Railway and Power Company; Tacoma Road Bonds; Tacoma Port Commission; Tacoma—Seattle rivalry; Tacoma tideflats bond issue; telephone rates; train wrecks and fatalities; Union Pacific Railroad Company; U.S. Census figures; U.S.—Columbia dispute over the Panama Canal; U.S. Customs Service; weather conditions; Weyerhaeuser Timber Company; Willapa roads.

BOX 25: SCRAPBOOK.

1. Scrapbook: Jan. 1914-Feb. 1915. Agriculture; Alaska; Alaska—agriculture; Alaska coal industry; Alaskan fur industry; Alaska railroad; Alaska trade; Auburn Dam; banks; Boyle (John M.) appointed U.S. Marshall; Canadian Pacific Railway; Chehalis floods; coal industry; Colorado Coal Strike of 1914; effects of World War I on shipping and foreign commerce; elections of 1914; Farm Extension Bill; federal regional banks; Henry Ford; Ford automobile sales in Tacoma; foreign trade; forest fires; gale of 1914; growth and prosperity of Tacoma businesses; Hawaii; "How the Rockefellers Own and Control America;" immigration; International Workers of the World; irrigation; Japan; Japanese steamer Yokahama Maru; King and Pierce County River Pact; labor unions; lumber industry; merchant marine service; J.P. Morgan; Nelson—Bennett Tunnel; North End (Tacoma) slide; Northern Pacific Railway Company;

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Panama Canal; paving of Tacoma streets; Philippines; Puerto Rico; Puyallup River floods; Puyallup River Improvement Project; railroads; railroad rates; salmon; Seaman's Bill (S-136); shipping industry; shipwrecks; sinking of the "Empress of Ireland;" South American Trade; steamship service in the Puget Sound region; steamship service to Japan; Tacoma Railway and Power Company; Tacoma Port Plan; Tacoma Tideflats; telephone service; timber exports; tourism; train robberies; Union Pacific Railroad Company; United States—Columbia Treaty of 1914; visit of Alaska Governor Strong; weather; Frederick W. Weyerhaeuser obituary; Weyerhaeuser Timber Company; whaling industry; wheat price fluctuations; World War I.

SUBJECTS:

BROAD SUBJECTS:

Advertising
Aeronautics

Air travel
Alaska

-transportation
Alaska-Canada Highway

African-Americans	-air travel	Baseball
-labor	-boundary with Canada	Bonneville Dam
-segregation	-description and travel	Bonneville Power Admin.
-Wages and Hours Bill	-land use laws	Bridges
Agriculture	-lighthouses	-Hylebos Waterway Bridge
Air mail service	-military telegraph	-Narrows Bridge
Air pollution	-publicity	-Puyallup River Bridge
Census—U.S., 1900 to 1940	Iron industry	Salmon
Chemical industry	Japan	Ships—construction
China	-foreign relations	Shipping industry
-foreign trade	-foreign trade	Spanish-American War, 1898
-immigration	-war with China, 1936	Stadium Bowl
Coal industry	Klondike Gold Rush	Tacoma
Coinage Mint—Tacoma	Korean Conflict, 1950-53	-airport
Columbia River	Lewis and Clark Centennial	-businesses
-irrigation projects	Exposition, 1904	-charities
Columbia River Valley Auth.	Louisiana Purchase Centennial	-fire protection
Communism	Exposition, 1902	-harbor facilities
Cushman Lake Power	Lumber industry	-housing
Development Project	-mills	-parks
Depressions—1929—U.S.	McChord Air Base	-population
-Civilian Conservation	Mining industry	-promotion
Corps	Motion picture industry	-public education
-currency stabilization	Mt. Rainier	-public safety
-depreciated currency	-name controversy	-tideflats
-farm relief	-National Park	-tourism
-National Recovery Act	Neutrality legislation, 1935-40	-traffic
-“New Deal”	Nicaraguan Canal	-transportation
-Social Security	Olympic Games	Tariffs
-unemployment relief	Olympic National Park	Taxation
-unemployment statistics	Panama Canal	Timber industry
-welfare benefits	Paper industry	-fire prevention
Electric power distribution	-pulp mills	-reforestation
Electric power production	Patent medicines	Trade
Electric power regulations	Philippine Islands	-domestic
Electric power shortages	-immigration	-expansion
Emigration and immigration	-independence	-foreign
-Australian	-supplies	-Canada
-Chinese	-trade	-China
-Chinese Exclusion Act	-U.S. Army troops	-Hong Kong
-Japanese	Pt. Defiance Park	-Japan
Ferries	Prisons	-Mexico
-Fox Island	-“chain gangs”	-Philippines
-Gig Harbor	-McNeil Island	-Singapore
-rates	Puyallup Indians	-United Kingdom
-Vashon Island	-allotted lands	Unions
Fishing industry	-land titles	United Nations
Flood control—Pierce County	-reservation	Venereal diseases
Fort Lewis	-schools	Washington State
Fort Nisqually—restoration	Radio broadcasts	-development
Furniture industry	Railroads	-Golden Jubilee

Grand Coulee Dam	-labor	Water
Hawaii	-mergers	-pollution
-description and travel	-rates	Western Washington Fair,
-tourism	-routes	Puyallup
-trade	Rural development	Wilderness areas
International relations	Russian-Japanese War, 1904-5	Wine industry
Woman's Suffrage Movement	-anti-Japanese sentiment	-fuel shortages
World War, 1914-1918	-evacuation and relocation	-returning servicemen
World War, 1939-1945	-manpower shortages	-Wage Stabilization Board
-African-Americans	-post war planning	-war bonds
-black market	-prisoners of war	-war contracts
-civil defense	-held at Ft. Lewis	-War Manpower
-defense housing	-Italians	Commission
-Japanese-Americans	-rationing	

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Aberdeen Chamber of Commerce	R.E. Anderson and Company
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Adams, Cyrus C.	Arcanum Roller Mills and Elevator Company
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Agnew and Company	Armory Troop B Cavalry
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Alaska Pacific Steamship Co.	Associated Charities of Tacoma
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Alderman, J.W.	Austro-Hungarian Consulate
Aldrich Young Co.	Ayers, Mary A.
Allen and Ballord Architects	Balfour, Guthrie and Company
Allen, George B.	Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company
Allen, J.B.	Barnes, W.A.
Alley, R.A.	Barrett, John
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American Bankers Association	Beeman, Dorr, and Cooper
American Car and Foundry Company	Benham, Edgar V.
American Chamber of Commerce	Berry and Spaulding
American Credit Indemnity Company	Best and Mumm
American <i>Exporter</i>	John T. Best and Company
American Fish Company	John P. Best and Company
American Glazed-Kid-Works	Bihler, Charles S.
American-Hawaiian Steamship Company	Bille, J.H.
<i>American Hay, Flour, and Feed Journal</i>	Blaauw, Dirk
American Hide Products Company	Blalock Fruit Company
American Institute of Architects	Boise Board of Trade
American Iron and Steel Association	Boise Chamber of Commerce
American Lumber and Manufacturing Co.	Bon Marche

American Mining Congress
American National Bank
American Press Clipping Bureau
American Railway Guide Company

Boston Chamber of Commerce
Boston Steamship Company
Brehm Lumber Company
Brewitt, W.H.

British Consulate
Cake, Harry C.
California Fish Company
California Promotion Committee
Canadian Manufacturers Association, Inc.
Canadian Pacific Railway Company
Capitol Box Company
Capitol National Bank of Olympia
Carnegie Steel Company
Carstens Brothers Market
Cascade Cereal Company
A.B. Case and Company
I.H. Case and Company
Centralia Commercial Club
Chamberlin, Fred D.
E.P. Charlton and Company
Chelan Board of Trade
Chicago and North Western Railway Co.
Chicago, Milwaukee, and St. Paul Railway
Chicago, Peoria, and Western Railway Co.
E. Church Company
Churchill's Information Bureau
Civic Union of the City of Seattle
Clarkson and Company
W.D. Coffee Plumbing Company
Colfax (WA) Chamber of Commerce
Colton Export and Import Company
Columbia Improvement Company
Commercial Dock Company
Continental Casualty Company
Crescent Creamery Company
F.T. Crowe and Company
Cushing-Young Shingle Company
Cutter, Charles E.
Daily Morning Astorian
Dakin and Walker Real Estate and Loans
Dartois, J.M.
Davies, Griffith
John T. Davis and Company
C.G. Debney and Company
Department of Commerce and Labor, U.S.
Department of Justice, U.S.
Department of State, U.S.
Department of the Interior, U.S.
Dewey, Henry B.
Dick, Charles
Dietrich, Walter N.
Dodwell and Company, Ltd.

Eastern Iron Company
C. Ebert Company
The Echo (CleElum)
Eckert Fruit Company
C.D. Elder and Company
Electric Soap Company
H.S. Emerson and Company
Erie Railroad Company
Estes, J.H.
Everett Chamber of Commerce
Everett Hardware Company
Excelsior Gas Machine and Carbine Company
Fairbanks (AK) Chamber of Commerce
Far West Lumber Company
Fawcett Brothers (Farm Machinery)
Felt, E.J.
Ferry, C.P.
Ferry, Elisha P.
The Ferry Museum-Tacoma
Flanery, J.D.
Flavel Land and Development Company
Fletcher and Carpenter, Attorneys
D. Fletcher and Company
Fogg, George W.
Foreign and Local Advertising Bureau
Foster, A.G.
Foster and Hastings (Lumber)
Franklin County (WA) Chamber of Commerce
Frazar and Company (Japan)
French Consulate
A. French Photographer
W.P. Fuller and Company
H & W Fulton Hardware (Cheney)
Garretson, Woodruff, Pratt Company
Garvey, James
F.W. Gaston Insurance
German Consulate
S.A. Gibbs and Company
Gibbs, H.A.
H.L. Goodwin Lumber and Manufacturing Co.
Gowell, H.W.
Gowell-Kelly Advertising Company
J.W. Grace and Company
Graff, M.W.
Grays Harbor Commercial Club
Great Eastern Newspaper League
Great Northern Immigration Bureau
Great Northern Railway Company

R.G. Dund and Company
H.R. Dunway Lumber Co.

Great Northern Steamship Company
Great Pacific Commercial and Industrial Co.

Great Western Color Company
Greene, E.M.
Greene, L.D.
Griffin Wheel Company
Griggs and Huestis Railroad Contractors
Griggs, Cooper, and Company
Griggs, H.S.
Gross, Ellis H.
R.F. Guerin and Company
Malcom E. Gunston Company
Harmon and Company
Hanford, C.H.
Hanson and Cavender Insurance
Harrington, Frederick W.
Harrington, T.J.
Hawaii Promotion Club
Hayden and Cleveland Real Estate
Hayden, D.B.
Hellar, Lyon and Company
Hewitt, Henry Jr.
Hinson, J.
Holmes and Bull Furniture Company
Honolulu Chamber of Commerce
Hoska, Conrad L.
A.F. Hoska Harness Company
Hudson and Holt, Attorneys
Hudson, Henry
Hudson, John
Hull, John A.
Humphry, C.G.
Hunt and Motlet Hardware
Hunt Grocery Company (Ketchikan, AK)
Hydro Smelting and Refining Company
The Independent (NY)
Internal Revenue Service
International Mining Congress
Irving, Peter
Ishidzummi, M. (Kyoto)
IXL Dairy
Japan-American Construction and Mercantile
Company (Kobe)
Japanese Consulate
Jefferies, William M.
Jones, Jesse S.
Kalspell Flour Mill Company
Kean, John
Kelly-Clarke Company
Ketchikan Chamber of Commerce
Kimball, E.A.

Kimura, M. (Tokyo)
Kittitas Commercial Club
Kobe Chamber of Commerce
Kwan-Sei Commercial College of Okayama
LaWall, Frank
Lawrence, Francis A.
Lehman, Robert B.
Leslie's Weekly Illustrated
Lewiston (ID) Commercial Club
Life-Saving Service
Light House Establishment, Office of Light
House Inspector
Lindsay Mercantile Company
Love-Johnson Company
Lumberman's State Bank
Mahon, McFarland, and Mahon Attorneys
Maney, J.J.
Manila Tobacco Company
L. Manning and Company
Manning and Walker Real Estate
Manufacturers and Producers Association of
California
Manufacturers Association of the Northwest
Marine Barracks, Naval Station, Bremerton
Maritime Association of the Port of New York
The Maritime World
Mason, Allen C.
Mason Mortgage and Loan Company
S.J. Maxwell and Company
McBride, Henry
McCabe and Hamilton, Attorneys
A.J. McCabe Railway Equipment and Supplies
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Mead, Albert E.
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Merchants Association of New York
Merchants Association of Seattle
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Merrick Brothers
The Metropolitan Bank
Mexican Permanent Exchange Association
Miller, J.H.
H.J. Miller Lumber Company
J. Mills and Son Real Estate
Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Sainte Marie
Railway Company
Mississippi River Improvement and Levee

Kimball, W.D.

Association

Missouri, Kansas, and Texas Railway System
Modern Miller

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Moody Mercantile Company

Moore Investment Company

Moran Brothers Company

Morning Oregonian

Moseley's Immigration Bureau

Mt. Tacoma Water Supply Company

Murray, F.H.

Nanaimo Board of Trade

National Bank of Commerce

National Good Roads Association

National Guard of Washington

National Irrigation Association

National Rivers and Harbors Congress

Native Sons of British Columbia

Navy Department

Nelson and Company, Real Estate

Neubert and Company (Kobe)

Nicaragua Canal Construction Company

Northern Land and Development Company

Northern Pacific Railway Company

Northern Transfer Company

North American Woman Suffrage Assn.

North Pacific Coast Jobbers and Manufacturers
Association

Northwest Bridge Company, Inc.

Northwest Farm and Home

Northwestern Commercial Company

Northwestern Improvement Company

Northwestern Supply Company

Ogle, J.M.

N. Ojima and Son (Kobe)

Olympia Chamber of Commerce

Olympic Mining Company

Oregon and California Timber Company

Oregon Development League

Oregon Pine Needle Fiber Company

Oregon Railroad and Navigation Company

Out West Company

Owens, H.K.

Pacific Brewing and Malting Company

Pacific Coast Company

Pacific Coast Commercial Company

Pacific Coast Gypsum Manufacturing Co.

Pacific Coast Jobbers and Manufacturers
Association

Pacific Coast Lumber Manufacturing Assn.

Pacific Coast Steamship Company

Pacific Commercial Company

Pacific Commercial Museum

Pacific Fuel Company

Pacific Marine Review

Pacific Mercantile Company

Pacific National Bank

Pacific Postal Telegraph-Cable Company

Pacific Starch Company

Pacific States Investor

Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Co.

Page Lumber Company

Parker, Emmett N.

Pasco Union Land Company

Perkins, George C.

S.A. Perkins, Publisher

Philadelphia Commercial Museum

C. Philips and Company

Pierce, Joshua

Plummer, Fred G.

Polk's Seattle Directory Company

Portland Board of Trade

Portland Chamber of Commerce

Portland Commercial Club

Portland Cordage Company

Portland Sanitarium

Port Townsend Chamber of Commerce

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Post Office Department, U.S.

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Puget Sound Bureau of Information

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Puget Sound Exhibition Company

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 St. Louis *Globe Democrat*
 St. Paul and Tacoma Lumber Company
 Salt Lake Valley Canning Company
 San Diego Chamber of Commerce
 San Francisco Chamber of Commerce
 San Juan (CO) *Prospector*
 Schmidt, Louis P.
 Seattle and Lake Washington Waterway Co.
 Seattle Chamber of Commerce
 Seattle, Everett, and Tacoma Navigation Co.
 Seattle Hardware Company
 Seattle-Tacoma Interurban Railway
 Seattle-Tacoma River Company
 Seawell Electric Air Brake Company
 Shultz Advertising Agency
 Skagway Chamber of Commerce
 J.A. Sloan...Shipbuilder
 Snoqualmie Falls Power Company
 Southern Pacific Milling Company
 Southern Pacific Railroad Company
 Sowders Mining Company
 Spaulding, Russell, and Heath Architects
 Spencer Medicine Company
 Spokane Chamber of Commerce
 Spokane Drug Company
 Spokane Grain and Milling Company
 Spokane Ornamental Iron and Wire Works
 Spokane Taxpayers League
 Standard Oil Company
The State
 Steel Storage and Elevator Company
 Sterberg and Wolbert, Real Estate
 Stone, George F.
 Strong, Orno
 O.O. Storie Valve Company
 Sumner Iron Works
 The Syndicate Company
 Tacoma and Steilacomm Railway Company
 Tacoma Athletic Club

Tacoma Building and Savings Association
 Tacoma Bureau of Transportation
 Tacoma Carriage and Baggage Transfer Co.
 Tacoma Company Steel Corporation
 Tacoma *Daily News*
 Tacoma Eastern Railroad Company
 Tacoma *Evening News*
 Tacoma Gas and Electric Light Company
 Tacoma Grain Company
 Tacoma Grocery Company
 Tacoma Investment Company
 Tacoma Land and Improvement Company
 Tacoma Lumber Company
 Tacoma *Ledger*
 Tacoma Mill Company
 Tacoma Mining Exchange
 Tacoma Railway and Power Company
 Tacoma Retail Grocers Protective Association
 Tacoma Shoe Company
 Tacoma Smelting and Refining Company
 Tacoma Stove Company
Tacoma Tidende
 Tacoma Trading and Transportation Company
 Tacoma Warehouse and Elevator Company
 Taylor, F.A.
 Henry F. Taylor Company
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 Tidewater Lumber Company
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 Tourist Association of Victoria, B.C.
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 Vulcan Iron Works

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Walla Walla Valley Fruit Fair	Western Steam Navigation Company
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War Department, U.S.	Western Wooden Ware Company
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Washington Chemical Works	Whatcom Commercial Club
Washington Cooperative Mining Syndicate	Wheeler, Osgood and Company
Washington Fire Clay Company	Whitehouse, J.S.
Washington Insurance Association	Whitehouse, W.J.
Washington Irrigation Company	Willet, C.W.
Washington Pipe and Foundry Company	Woodruff, Frank
Washington World's Fair Commission	Woodworth, Charles
Weber Club	<i>The World</i>
Wegenor, O.F.	Yellowstone Park Railway
<i>West Coast and Puget Sound Lumberman</i>	Yokohama Chamber of Commerce
West Coast Grocery Company	Young, Robert
Western Alaska Construction Company	Young Lumber Company
Western Iron and Steel Company	Young Men's Christian Association
Western Pennsylvania Exposition	York, E.R.

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